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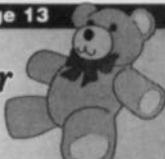
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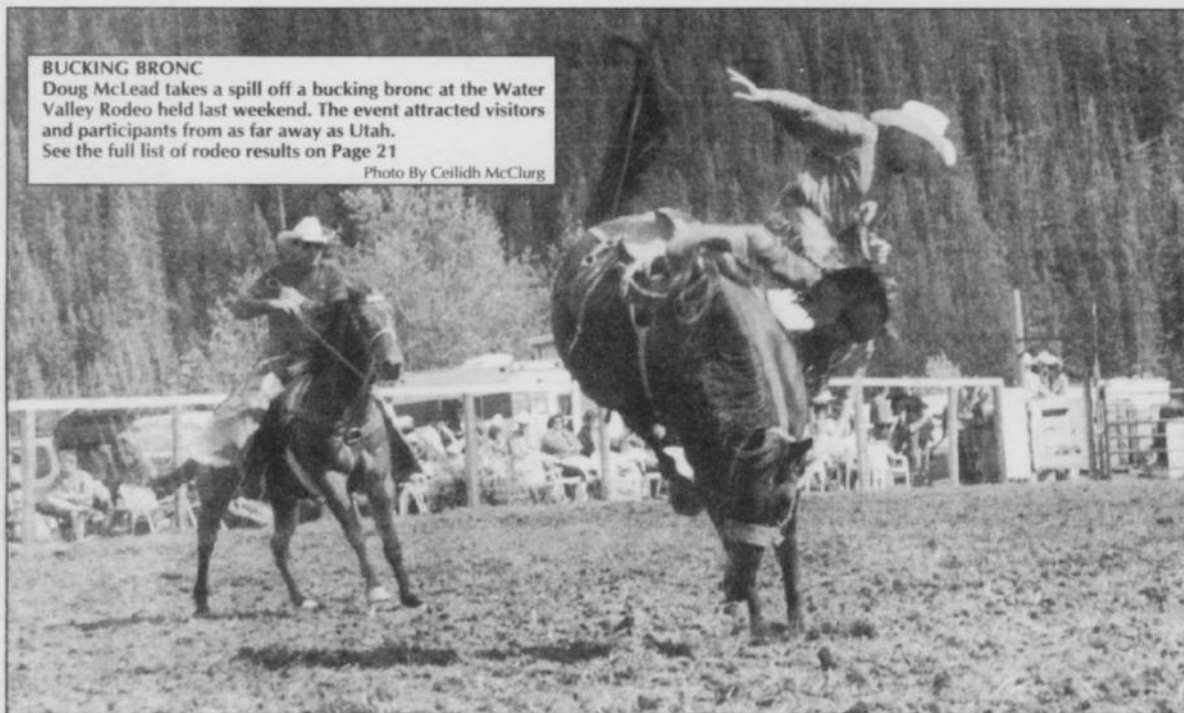
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BUCKING BRONC

Doug McLead takes a spill off a bucking bronc at the Water Valley Rodeo held last weekend. The event attracted visitors and participants from as far away as Utah.

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Photo By Ceilidh McClurg



Minister tours facility

By Ceilidh McClurg

What may have been a dead issue concerning moving the local RCMP detachment into the vacant half of the courthouse, could be alive again.

On Tuesday, June 9, local MLA, Richard Marz and the Minister of Alberta Public Works and Supply Services are touring the building to determine feasibility of the move.

Town chief administrative officer, Evan Parliament told town council, "The purpose of the tour is so that those two can see if there can be some movement in the RCMP accommodation issue."

The RCMP have long needed a new home due to the lack of space at their current detachment. A couple of years ago, it was decided it be the most economically feasible for the town to move the RCMP into the vacant half of the courthouse. However, the province nixed the idea because there were concerns that there had to be a separation of the law makers and the law enforcers.

Since that time, the town has looked into other options, including moving the RCMP into town office, and moving town office into the courthouse.

In the meantime however, they continued to lobby for their first and most economically sound choice, of moving the RCMP into the courthouse.

Parliament was pleased the officials were at least looking at the situation.

The tour on Tuesday was a private tour that did not include any town officials or members of the public.

The reactions of the Minister and the MLA were not available at press time.

Reward offered in Water Valley explosions

The trail of the people responsible for exploding \$5 million worth of logging equipment near Water Valley, has cooled since the incident in November.

Const. Morley Lippai, who is the local RCMP member responsible for the case, said that immediately after the incident the office was flooded with calls of people who thought they might be able to identify the culprits.

"There has been a lot of tips provided, but we have found them to be inconclusive," says Lippai.

Now, to add some heat back onto the trail of the suspects the trail, the insurance company who holds the policy on the equipment is offering a \$10,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties responsible.

"I think this should get a lot more tips flying," says Lippai.

American Home Insurance has had to pay out the market value of the equipment that had to be replaced, and Lippai explains that the company has decided that "it would be in their best interest" to help catch the culprits any way they can.

The incident that caused all of the damage to equipment owned by Shuurman Enterprises of Cochrane happened Nov. 24 of last year.

The company had provided equipment to the Spray Lakes logging company who owned the lease on the property.

In the early morning hours of Nov. 24, a logging truck that was there to pick up a load, noticed a piece of machinery burning. When the local police arrived, it

was discovered that there were ten pieces of equipment that had been sabotaged, valuing half a million dollars.

Didsbury RCMP say that at least one explosive device was put on each piece of equipment, and in some cases there were two. It has been discovered exactly what type of devices were used in the sabotage, however the details were not available at press time.

A Post Blast National Team from Ottawa, a forensic team from Red Deer, the local police, and the Didsbury Search and Rescue scoured the scene for evidence.

However the evidence yielded no direct connection to any individual or group.

The only identifying clue is that the culprit or culprits must

have known the area very well or scoped out the location in advance due to the remote location of the property 26 kilometres east of Water Valley.

In the meantime, Const. Lippai and one other investigator from the General Investigations Section, have been assigned the monstrous task of finding those responsible.

There is no known witness who saw anything suspicious before or after the incident. That is why it is hoped the \$10,000 reward will provoke someone who may know something and come forward with their information.

Anyone who could provide information is asked to call the local detachment at 335-3382 or Crimestoppers. Tipsters will remain anonymous.

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In the skies again

By Ceilidh McClurg

When you look up into the sky this summer and staring back at you is an ominous looking cloud, feel better knowing that the hail suppression program will continue for its third year at the local airport.

The Hail Suppression team has probably already tracked the storm and flown into the sky to battle it from within its depths.

The five year project is being funded by the Alberta Severe Weather Management Society at a cost to them of about \$1 million per year. However, the group of property insurers is willing to fork out the cash because they believe it could save them between \$25 to \$50 million in the long run.

The group started a little earlier than their traditional June 15 start date this year.

Terry Krauss, head of the project says, "We started early because the last two years there has been some storms in the first two weeks of June. We didn't want to tempt fate." Good thing too, before lunch on their first day of operation they were seeding clouds near Calgary.

The operation has been based at the Olds/Didsbury Airport for all three years, and will be for the next two years. With them they brought a high technology radar that is able to monitor the skies for any signs that damaging hail could be lurking above.

"We patrol the storms and watch them and we only seed when they reach an intensity that suggests they may hail," says Krauss.

Their computers create a map that outlines the severity of a storm based on a scale of -30 to 80, and when the scale shows anything above 50, Hail Stop 1, 2 or 3 will launch from either Calgary or Red Deer to monitor or seed a cloud if necessary.

The seeding process involves spraying silver iodide flares into the dark clouds. Krauss explains that the smoke particles of the flares attaches itself to the water and forms small ice crystals that are like snow heavy enough to fall from the cloud, but small enough to melt before hitting the ground. The reason this works is that it prevents the water from forming into large hail stones that are the cause of property and crop damage.

Does it work? Krauss thinks so. He says the numbers prove that claims in the area have drastically reduced over the past two years.

The area from Rocky Mountain House to Calgary, including the Highway 2 corridor are traditionally called, "Hail Alley." In fact, seven of the eleven most costly hail storms have occurred in this area totalling almost \$1 billion in damage.

Krauss believes that this year the corridor could really live up to its "Hail Alley" name especially due to El Nino.

"There's a good chance that we are looking at an above average storm year," says Krauss.

If there is more than one storm brewing, Krauss says priority will be based on the most highly populated areas like Calgary and Red Deer, however they do fly



HAIL STOP

Terry Krauss (left), project coordinator, and two meteorologist students, Dean Gilbert and Steven Kosak work at the radar tower.

over the Didsbury/Olds/Carstairs area quite often. And occasionally leave a plane at the local airport for stand-by calls, usually the three planes are on patrol out of Calgary or Red Deer. However, when the planned extension of the Olds/Didsbury airport runway takes place, it will make the length long enough to accommodate one plane full-time.

There is a total of 12 staff for the project, three of which are at the local airport about 12 hours per day. Other times of the day, the radar screen can be viewed by the hail suppression employees via the internet.

Last year there were 92 flights in a total of 43 days, and on 34 of those days, the clouds were seeded with the silver iodide flares.

Weather Modification claims in their brochure that there is less silver in the water that falls on the ground after it has been seeded, than there is in a cup of water that has been stirred with a silver teaspoon.

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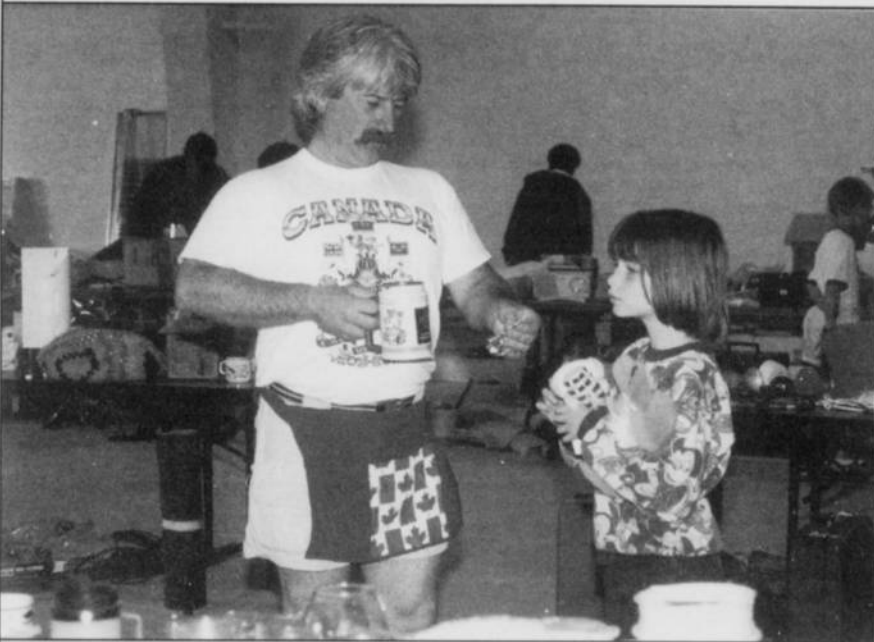
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Garage sale provides bargains and more



The Canada Day Garage sale brought in buyers from around the county. Shoppers spent more than \$2800 this year. Organizers says people were lined up at the door half an hour before the sale even started, all vying for the deals that lay inside. Grant Hemming, of the Canada Day Committee says that it breaks the record for the most money raised at the sale. All proceeds will go towards Canada Day celebration activities, including the spectacular fireworks show.

Skateboarders seek solutions

By Ceilidh McClurg

It could be as soon as this summer that skateboarders in Didsbury will see a place of their own if the outcome of a meeting is what all hope it will be.

At the meeting held last week, about 25 skateboarders came to a meeting along with council representatives, parents and neighbors to put their cards on the table and work together to find a solution.

The meeting came about after the complex manager and town councillors received complaints from residents who live close to the Memorial Complex, behind which skateboarders often bone up their skills by jumping ramps.

Coun. Gary Dolha told the group, "Nobody has a problem with skateboarding, it is just when you infringe on other people's space." He had received complaints regarding noise, garbage and profanity.

The skateboarders indicated that it is not always their group who are causing the problems, but because they are an identifiable group, blame is often put on them.

A parent of three skateboarders, Kim Hnidy said she agrees that the boarders are often fighting perception rather than reality. She said, "These kids are really up against a lot of barbs just to skate."

The skateboarders admitted that they are often leaving their ramps out behind the complex, but added that the ramps are worth a lot of money and it was hard for the smaller boarders to lift the ramps to move them at the end of a session without wrecking them.

After much discussion about the complaints that were being made, the complex manager, Rhonda Hunter agreed to give the boarders a semi-permanent place to skate on the west side of the curling rink. She said that as long as everyone worked to keep the area clean, and keep quiet enough not to bother the neighbors. It was suggested that the area could be used until a more permanent solution could be found.

Then, the group at the meeting began looking for more permanent solutions. They formed a working group that will examine getting grants and a piece of land. Coun. Dolha suggested a small parcel near the new livestock pavilion that might be appropriate for paving a smooth surface for the boarders. It was suggested that paving crews were to be in town this summer, and if grants are applied for quickly enough, money might be in hand to have a parcel paved while they are here.

The working group will have their next meeting later this week. In the meantime, the boarders agreed to use the power of peer pressure to ensure that their fellow boarders would follow the rules of the temporary placement next to the curling rink.

Last chance to have a say

By Ceilidh McClurg

There is barely a breath left before the Town of Didsbury sets the plans in stone, or at least in by-law.

After months of community input, public meetings, and drafts, the new Municipal Development Plan is set on the table for final adoption at the next council meeting.

It has already gone to first reading, and then will be up for debate at the June 16 meeting.

The meeting is open to the public an hour before the regular council meeting. "To allow ample time for public participation in the process," says town development officer Robert Wigg.

By provincial law the town was required to create a new MDP to replace the one that was created in 1985.

It includes everything from plans for commercial development and its preferred locations to residential and green space

preservation.

They have included such items in the plan as future annexations, roads, and possible sites for recreational use.

The preamble to the official document reads, "Council has placed a high priority on this document and especially wanted to ensure that the views of all interested parties were heard."

The last chance for input will be at 6:30 p.m. June 16 in the council chambers.

Another nomination

Another name has been added to the list for consideration by the Minister for an appointment to the board of Regional Health Authority 5.

Clem Kuelker, who is the former owner of a local business, has been endorsed by the Didsbury and District Hospital Task Force as a possible board member.

In a letter to the Minister of Health, Halvar Jonson, the Task Force wrote, "...Through Mr. Kuelker's many years as a

manufacturer of farm equipment, he has built a reputation for community involvement second to none."

Kuelker's name is the one of the two endorsed names that have been sent to the Minister.

James Turner, of the Carstairs area has also been suggested as a possible candidate to serve as a board member for Regional Health Authority 5.

The candidates will be appointed later this month.

Porat appointed to board

By Ceilidh McClurg

A local man will be looking out for the well being of children as the new co-chairman of the Region 5 Child and Family Services Authority Board.

Wil J. Porat was appointed to the board early last week.

The appointment is one of the first steps in the redesign of Child and Family Service delivery throughout the province. Over the course of the past year or so, the government, in cooperation with many groups that have a stake in the services, have completely reworked the way services are offered to people.

Meetings were held across this region including within the Town of Didsbury, asking people to participate in the redesign process. They have recently tied up some loose ends in the draft document and are working towards putting it into practice.

The new focus is on early

intervention involving everyone from coaches to teachers, to social care workers.

This philosophy fits in well with Porat's values. In a press release outlining his background it says, "Since the steering committee began, Porat has attended the bi-monthly meetings with the region's Children's Services representatives looking at ways to partner, particularly in early intervention."

Porat is a former pastor from the local community, and now counsels through his private practice. He is currently the Chair of the Regional Health Authority 5 Regional Mental Health Advisory Committee and the Three Hills/Didsbury Community Advisory Committee.

"Wil (Porat) has years of experience in assessing community needs and developing community-based, client-driven services to address

those needs," says the press release.

"Wil's comprehensive understanding of community issues and skills in service planning and finance are a valuable asset to the board."

Porat was appointed to the board following a recruitment call across the province. Regional panels interviewed candidates and made recommendations to the Minister responsible, Pearl Calahasen.

Porat holds a Bachelor of Theology and is currently completing a Master of Arts in psychology at the University of Calgary.

He will co-chair with Gil Carriere of Drumheller who has a background including counselling of juvenile delinquents, victim's services and developmentally delayed adults.

Boards are being appointed in 12 of the 18 regions in Alberta.



OOPS!
A collision between a half ton truck and this large BFI garbage truck cause a bit of a mess at the Didsbury lawnbowling club when the truck ran right through the fence.

EDITORIAL / OPINIONS

Wholesome family viewing



Ceilidh
McCLURG

As I sit here it is late Monday night, my brain is mush and I am listening to the timeless soundtrack of *Grease*. Nothing better to motivate than some cheesy music with a groov-able beat.

I am playing the movie in mind as each song plays. You need to understand that I have seen this movie in excess of 75 times, and personally own the movie, the compact disk and the tape. My roommate owns the compact disk, *Grease and Grease 2* on Video.

So what is it about such a movie that never fails to get my spirits high.

One sure thing is that it not the time honored family values of, "If a boy doesn't notice you, get dressed in some trashy outfit, flail your hips like a wild woman, and completely revamp your personality to get the guy."

But that is just the thing. It allows me to completely throw away reality for an hour and a half, and sit there mindlessly enjoying goofy songs and ridiculous choreography.

Those people that run around saying that TV is ruining our youngsters; making them desensitized and cold, obviously haven't taken a look at what they used to watch when they were young.

Cheech and Chong!

Good for the wholesome soul; I don't think so, and yet I doubt there is a person out there who can say they haven't at least seen a clip of the show and maybe even giggled a little bit.

Woody Allen. Need I say more.

What about all of those old Westerns like *Gunsmoke*. How many guns and dead people were rolling around in those types of shows.

James Bond. Not exactly the kind of guy most people would want their daughter dating. Didn't that show glamorize womanizing, smoking and murder?

My point is not to say that the movies and TV this day and age aren't bordering on insane. I would totally agree. There are certain shows I wouldn't allow myself to watch, let alone any child in my life.

However, I think it is worth taking a look back at your own TV watching history and realizing it wasn't quite as demure as you might like to think.

I know in my own life, I am always critical of how my teenage sister acts. But, when forced I have to concede that my teenage life wasn't much different. In fact, it may have been worse than hers.

Ever heard the term, "Pick the log from thine own eye before you look for specks in someone else's eye." (Thanks for your handy cliches mom.) Well it applies.

Just a thought.

Pink lungs stay pink

By Senator Colin Kenny

Earlier this spring I set out across Canada, seeking to arouse public interest in a private member's bill I have before Parliament that would place a \$0.50 levy on every carton of cigarettes sold in Canada. There was more than interest. I found anguish scattered all over this country.

This is one of those issues that Canadians seem unwilling to tackle because this stinking habit has been with us so long. We throw up our hands. By now we know that some people can quit and some can't. Some would rather go out gasping for air than give up their little friends - so what are you going to do about human nature?

Well, I'm not trying to put every Canadian on the patch. I say adults can do what they want to do about the weed, as long as they don't blow it in my face. But I think we do have an obligation to the kids. They get hooked before they know it, and suddenly one generation's agony becomes the next generation's agony.

And I do mean agony. Before my trip I didn't think I had really realized how many people have had a loved one die from tobacco, and how many more watch in constant anxiety, knowing that someone close to them is playing Russian roulette with their addiction.

In Winnipeg I gave a speech at the Canadian Club. I asked people to put up their hands if they had lost someone close to them to tobacco addiction. I expected a fair showing, but I was stunned when just about everyone in the room put their hands in the air - even some of the waiters.

Men in our society are at least starting to get a handle on tobacco addiction, but women - particularly young girls - are easy prey to the tobacco companies' depiction of a lean, independent lifestyle. In 1969 there were about 7.8 deaths a year attributed to lung cancer among 100,000 women. That's up to 34.9 now - higher than the incidence of breast cancer.

Kids right now aren't getting the message. For every \$100 the federal government collects in tobacco taxes, only a penny goes back into tobacco education. Tell me that isn't a disgrace.

The \$0.50 levy at the centre of my bill would raise \$120 million a year. In the first year, \$60 million would go to community-based efforts to curb smoking among young people, \$50 million would go to cultural and sports groups to compensate them for their sponsorship losses under bill C-71, and \$10 million would go to Canadian tobacco farmers switching to other crops.

Over five years the support for farmers and cultural and sports groups would be phased out, until the entire \$120 million was dedicated to trying to prevent young people from getting hooked on the products that the US tobacco companies are finally admitting they have always wanted them to get hooked on.

Again, this wouldn't be some top-down Ottawa megaproject with big brother shouting out the dangers over a loudspeaker. This would be community health groups and youth groups all across this country figuring out what can help on a face-to-face, grass-roots level.

Unlike some of the US companies, Canadian tobacco companies still claim they don't want kids sucking back their products. Funny, they can't seem to make much of an effort to dissuade them. Let's help them out. Please write your MP in support of The Tobacco Industry Responsibility Act.

Citizen takes on gag law

By Stephen Harper

Canadians who cherish free speech should thank their lucky stars that Vancouver businessman Garry Nixon got angry.

Nixon, you see, has launched a constitutional court challenge against a British Columbia law that stifles free speech during provincial elections.

Essentially this gag law makes it illegal for a citizen to independently spread a political opinion!

When Nixon learned about this odious gag law two years ago it made him angry. In fact, he was outraged. How, he asked himself, could politicians, who routinely spend millions of tax dollars to promote themselves, justify gagging free expression?

Nixon got so irate that he decided to openly flout the law.

As he later told the media, "I set out deliberately to defy the law and the only way I could see I could be taken to court would be like Martin Luther King did: break the law, be charged and then have my day in court to see if the law was constitutional."

As so during the 1996 election Nixon spent about \$6,000 on radio and newspaper ads that criticized the NDP government's fiscal mismanagement. He then waited for his day in court.

It never came. Instead, months after the election, Nixon got a notice from the elections office that he was already considered guilty and convicted under the gag law. Without the benefit of a trial he was fined more than \$13,000.

Nixon did not give up. More determined than ever to stand

up for what was right, he launched, with the financial help of The National Citizen's Coalition, a legal challenge of his own to overturn the gag law.

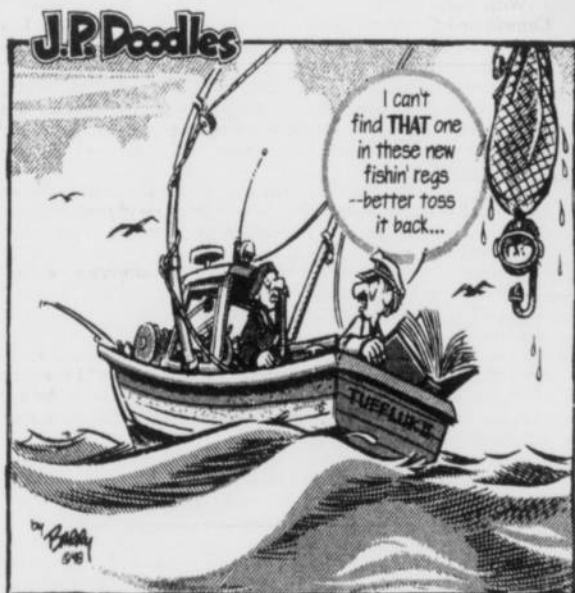
The outlook for success is good. Twice before courts have ruled that similar federal gag laws were unconstitutional.

Yet it's going to be a tough fight.

The NDP is using every legal trick to get his case dismissed, meaning it could take years before Nixon finally gets his day in court.

It's a fight, however, that must be fought. If Nixon wins it will send a message to politicians across Canada that gag laws have no place in a free and democratic society.

It's a message the politicians had better heed: after all, Nixon isn't the only Canadian who can get angry.



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EDITORIAL

MP Myron Thompson is disgusted with what he calls, "record week of waste" in government

By Myron Thompson

It never ceases to amaze me how many different ways the Liberal government can waste our hard earned tax dollars. One week in May, for some reason, was a record week of waste.

We began with the Prime Minister saying he won't apologize to taxpayers for taking 14 Liberal MPs and Senators on an expensive five-day junket to Italy. This coming from a Prime Minister who is on track for setting the frequent flyer record for foreign travel. Since coming into office in 1993, Chretien has spent more than \$12 million taxpayer dollars on a whirlwind, all expenses paid tour of just about every country that a plane will fly to. Even Brian Mulroney, the champion of wasteful spending, only spent \$9 million for foreign travel during his whole time in office.

During 1996-97 alone, Prime Minister Chretien visited Manila, Shanghai, Tokyo, Lisbon, Moscow, Bucharest, Rome, Seoul, Bangkok and France for a total of \$4,777,140. The total cost of Chretien's foreign travel since 1993 doesn't yet include his 1997-98 travel to Hanoi, London, New York (twice), Brazil, Argentina, Chile and Cuba for which figures were not available.

How Canadians have benefited from these travel junkets remains a mystery to me. At a time when our country has a massive debt, and when our health care and education systems are suffering there is no good explanation for such inappropriate expenses.

Next we learn that the government's spending on opinion polling and research has jumped from \$6 million in 1994 to \$12 million this past fiscal year. Pollara, the company used by the Liberal Party of Canada received 5% of the contracts totalling

\$1,007,813, over fiscal years 1994-95, 1995-96, and 1996-97.

It is clear that the Liberals are relying more on polls and focus groups to measure public policy. Some of the polls conducted were to assess the following: Health warnings on cigarette packages (\$213,486); ways to get school children to eat better (\$101,646); smoking habits among francophones (\$63,520); a new Canada Day logo (\$29,000); Canada Savings Bonds Marketing (\$110,000); strategic communications and policy advice for the Department of Finance (\$246,000); and my personal favourite, attitudes towards incarceration and correctional issues (\$30,000).

All along Jean Chretien said he doesn't believe in opinion polls and prefers to govern through instinct and common sense. This increase in spending certainly signals that Chretien's claims that polls have no influence on government policies certainly isn't true.

Then we found out that the new gun registry program is 40% over budget with 4 months still to go before the program begins. A month ago the Justice Minister said the costs were \$66 million and then only last week, the federal supplementary estimates added another \$21 million to the tab. Now I have learned that it will cost \$120 million to set up the registry. It is clear to me that the Justice Minister has been trying to hide the true cost of forcing law-abiding firearms owners to register their guns. This is nothing more than a money-pit for taxpayers and a severe strain on our police forces, since they may have to be taken off the streets in order to run the registry.

Finally, through the hard work of my colleague John Williams from St. Albert, it was reported in his latest edition of

the "Waste Report," taxpayers forked out: \$28,000 for a study of women's wear in 19th century Istanbul; \$44,962 for a look at lesbian households in Canada; \$75,000 went to a study on feast-

ing and the origin of inequity; and finally, \$41,000 for a treatise entitled "Critical Edition of Spanish Golden Age Plays." This is only a small sample of what the "Waste Report" contains.

In conclusion, I have to wonder how the government can stand up day after day and claim that they cannot extend compensation to all victims of Hepatitis C in light of this "week of waste."

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Best Wishes

Richard Marz, M.L.A.

Olds - Didsbury - Three Hills Constituency

MAILBAG

Best prevention is to obey the law

Dear Editor,

With some interest, I recently read a piece about Transport Canada and Canadian Pacific Railway urging the Town of Didsbury to install railroad crossing gates at both 15th and 23rd Avenues.

Aside from a single cost estimate provided which, as it happens, seems to be excessive, it's difficult to justify this unwarranted expense when CPR train frequency, crossing visibility, and already adequately equipped warning devices add up to requiring no additional investment.

It's unfortunate that the Town of Didsbury has to spend a large amount of taxpayer dollars for the sole purpose of preventing the 5% of society's idiot and dimwit elements from harming themselves and others.

Railroad crossing gates are designed for stopping vehicular traffic only, and do nothing from barring pedestrians. This safety feature does not eliminate accidents or lower mishap rates. This is attributed solely to the decisions made by crossing users, train or no train, that are invariably made according to their moods and attentiveness at the time. Is the expense worthwhile? I think not.

The installation of four Stop signs would accomplish the same purpose as railroad crossing gates, and would be more easily enforced by RCMP personnel.

Lastly, the best accident-prevention feature already exists. Obey the law. Perhaps Transport Canada and CPR can send the Town's invoice to that 5% of society's idiots and dimwits who cause 95% of the mishaps.

Sincerely,
Ken B. Armstrong,
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FROM THE MAILBAG

Wonderings of the heart

Some time ago my husband was erecting a small shed to house a pump. He cut and marked each board carefully, so when the time came to assemble the 'pumphouse' everything fit into place and his work was accomplished in much less time than expected. It gave him satisfaction.

It brought to mind when I was in school and was being taught to sew (I disliked it) - often I would try and save time by not cutting the pattern out carefully, not marking darts carefully, or snipping off arrows. The end result brought no satisfaction.

The way we plan and prepare determines the end result in all we do.

Paul reminds us to do "all things as unto the Lord" - not only the 'big things' - but also the seemingly small mundane tasks, then we will experience a joy as the end result. There will be a satisfaction in knowing we have 'done all things well.'

Lund needs to take his own advice

Dear Editor,

In a recent advertisement about Environment Week Minister of Environmental Protection Ty Lund tells us "It is time for each of us to learn more about our environment." For once, I whole-heartedly agree with the Minister and I hope that the Minister will take his own advice.

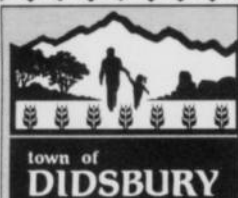
It is time for the Minister to learn the importance of protecting our natural environment. He needs to learn that to maintain wildlife populations and endangered species, we need to protect the place where they live. The Special

Places program has great potential, but the Minister is allowing human activities, such as oil and gas activity or logging to interfere. While local groups should be consulted on management activities in nominated areas, the final decision should be made with advice from ecologists working at the provincial level. Experience in the Castle area, the Whaleback and the Big-horn area shows that local groups often lack the broader perspective.

If the Minister of Environmental Protection truly wants to renew his commitment to a

sustainable environment, I ask him to revise the mandate of the Special Places program. He must make sure that we have a province-wide network of areas where there is sufficient, undisturbed habitat to enable all plants and animals we find in Alberta to survive and flourish. This would be the greatest contribution he could make to maintaining the quality of life for all life in Alberta, now and in the future.

Sincerely,
Debbie Carlson, MLA
Alberta Liberal Critic
for Environmental Protection



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Wed. 10:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M.
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1997 Financial Statements

Copies of the 1997 Financial Statements and the Municipal Financial Information Return are available to the public at the Town Office. There is no charge for the first copy of these documents.

Municipal Development Plan

Town Council has given first reading of a bylaw to adopt the Town of Didsbury's Municipal Development Plan. Copies are available for pickup at the Town Office, 2037 - 19 Ave, or call 335-3391. We welcome your comments.

The Town of Didsbury is accepting applications for the position of Returning Officer for the October, 1998 Municipal Election. Interested persons should submit a letter of application, including relevant qualifications and experience by June 19, 1998 to:

Sandra King
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Town of Didsbury
Box 790
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Do you have a Green Thumb?

Would you like to play a key role in maintaining and beautifying the Town of Didsbury Parks & Greenspaces? If so, we may have a position for you!

Position Title: Technical Maintenance Operator 1 Reporting to the Operational Services Foreman, the incumbents main responsibilities will be related to the daily maintenance of all Town owned parks and "greenspace" areas. Other duties would also be required as assigned.

This is a temporary, full time position based on 40 hours per week (8 hours per day, Monday to Friday).

This position requires an energetic individual with knowledge and experience in landscaping, turf maintenance, horticulture, and must have an ability to work under minimal supervision. A grade 12 diploma is preferred, a valid First Aid Certificate would be an asset, and a valid Alberta class 5 driver's licence is required.

Rate of Pay: Current salary grid is \$10.15-\$10.56/ hour (union position) Interested candidates should forward their application prior to June 19, 1998 to:

Wes Yeoman, CET
Director of Engineering & Operational Services
Town of Didsbury
PO Box 790
Didsbury, AB T0M 0W0

Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted

1998 Tax and Assessment Notices

have been mailed by the Town of Didsbury on May 29, 1998 Any person wishing to appeal their assessment to the Assessment Review Board will be required to pay a fee of \$25.00 per property. This fee will be refunded if the appeal is successful.

Deadline for appeal is June 30, 1998

1998 Town of Didsbury Household Toxic Roundup

Where: Town of Didsbury Works Yard (19 street)
When: Friday, June 19, 1998 from 4p.m. to 7p.m.

Members of the Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board have volunteered their time to provide their assistance at this event.

For more information please call the Town Office at 335-3391.

NOTICE - HYDRANT FLUSHING

The crew will be flushing hydrants June 8-12 This will cause some murkiness in your water supply. You may wish to run taps an extra minute to clear your line.

Are you interested in running for TOWN COUNCIL?

Information packages are available from the Town Office which include valuable information to help you in your decision and to familiarize you with some basic information regarding the Town of Didsbury and its operations.

SUMMER FUN!!

Are you interested in your child attending a summer fun program? Call 335-3391 with the number of children, their ages, and your telephone number. This is a preliminary survey to determine demand.

New Development Permit Applications

The following Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

38-98	2145 - 19 Avenue	Garage	R2
39-98	1602 - 20 Street	Small Engine Repair	C1

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 19 Ave. or by calling 335-3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on June 17, 1998.

Robert Wigg - Development Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE TOWN OF DIDSBURY MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Notice is hereby given that the Town Council of Didsbury has passed first reading of a bylaw to adopt the Town of Didsbury's Municipal Development Plan.

A public hearing prior to second and third reading of the proposed by-law will be held June 16, 1998 commencing at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Town of Didsbury Municipal Office.

The hearing will be conducted under the chairmanship of the mayor, or his designated person, for the purpose of hearing opinions and comments and/or objections to the proposed by-law.

The style of the hearing will be informal and persons wishing to speak will be requested to state their name and address for the record upon being recognized by the Chairman. Opportunities to speak will not be restricted, but recognition to speak will be at the discretion of the Chairman.

The public may pick up a copy of the draft of the Municipal Development Plan at the Town of Didsbury Municipal Office, 2037 - 19 Ave, during regular office hours 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Copies will also be mailed out, please call 335-3391 for a copy.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION of this notice: June 3, 1998
DATE OF SECOND PUBLICATION of this notice: June 10, 1998

Robert Wigg, Planning and Development Officer

County supports funding changes

...and other county council briefs

Public works working

Bill Merchant, superintendent of Public Works for the county indicated to council that all road repair equipment has been repaired and is out on the roads around the county working.

Taking flight

Merchant also gave an update on how the county will be involved in the runway extension project at the Olds/Didsbury Airport. The county is supplying the gravel and doing the dirt work for the project.

Follow the lines

Road lines around the county are being redone in areas where the wear and tear has eliminated good visibility. Included in the project is 1.6 kilometres in the Town of Didsbury which the town will reimburse the county for.

SH 580 ready

County commissioner, Harold Johnsrude reported to county council that the construction along SH 580 will begin the first week of August. The first step will be shoulder widening. The second step will be pavement overlay, and the third step will be trimming.

Returning officer chosen

The Returning Officer for upcoming county elections was appointed last week as Frank Dawley. Administration indicated that Dawley is experienced with the process as he has carried out the duties of returning officer since 1989 and has experience in handling senatorial elections. Johnsrude also indicated that he was in discussion with Chinook's Edge School Board to determine if it would be feasible to hold joint ballots for both school board and county elections.

Library levels

County councillors were supportive of a change in the funding formula for the way the province funds libraries. Currently the province funds libraries at 1991 population levels. Parkland Regional Library, who provides service to the local libraries, is sending a resolution to the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties (AAMDC) that suggests that funding be based on 1997 levels.

"I think it is a good idea," said Coun. Ben Penner.

The resolution also included a clause that asked the government to raise its per capita funding to \$4.50 from the current level of \$4.03.

However, although they supported the change in formula councillors expressed concern on how the increased population formula, combined with an increase in per capita funding was asking too much.

"I can't support both ends of the scale," aid Coun. Diane Davies.

They chose to table the resolution until their next meeting, where they will bring back a revised resolution to send to the AAMDC.

Insurance inclusion

Council approved allowing Graham Community Association and Zella Community Association to come under their insurance umbrella. It was determined that these groups were eligible to have their insurance covered, at no cost to the county, because they fall into the policy for non-profit organizations.

Toxic Round-ups

The Town of Sundre requested that the county share in the cost of a Toxic Waste Round-up and Paint Exchange program that they ran earlier this month. The letter indicated that the county had previously contributed 42% of the cost of holding the event. Council approved \$359.25 for the 1998 Round-up.

The Village of Cremona also asked for similar support for their June 10 event. The county approved a 50% cost share, that will come in at about \$225 or \$275.

Gravel haul

Gravel hauling rates have been increased. County commissioner, Harold Johnsrude indicated that the rates had not been changed since 1989, and needed to be brought to a competitive level with other jurisdictions.

Coun. Ben Penner felt that the rates were not fair between a belly dump and tandem and opposed the motion. It was carried.

Guardian appointed

Leanne Patmore was appointed as a Fire Guardian for Mountain View County in the area of Water Valley.

RCMP notes

The Didsbury RCMP are reminding residents that they are invited to provide input to the Community Advisory Committee meeting that will be held on June 17. The meetings are held monthly and provide an opportunity for residents, business owners and town council members to voice their concerns or suggestions concerning policing in the community.

To provide input, residents are asked to contact one of the following members of the committee. They are Dave Black, Charlie Tommy, Don Watt, Claude Baril and Shaun Ausenhus.



NACEL CANADA is currently recruiting families to host international exchange students for 4 weeks in July or Aug '98. For application info contact Jan at 403-247-2808 or fax 403-247-2802 - john.porteous@t8000.com by June 15.

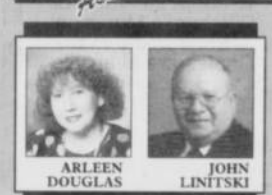
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Mountain View County Notice of Public Hearing changes to the Mountain View County Municipal Development Plan (General Municipal Plan)

Mountain View County proposes to amend its Municipal Development Plan. The purpose of the proposed amendments is to satisfy the requirements of the Municipal Government Act. Copies of the proposed changes are available by calling the Planning and Development Department at 335-3311. A public hearing on the proposed changes will be held on **Wednesday, June 17, 1998**, at 1:00 p.m. in Council Chambers, Didsbury, Alberta.

We encourage anyone interested to drop in to the Planning and Development Department to view the changes, as well as a copy of the 1993 Plan.

Any person or persons presenting their views to the Council of Mountain View County at the Public Hearing to be held in connection with the proposed amendments shall:

- State their names and postal address, and
- The particular amendment in respect of which they are submitting their views.

Any person or persons wishing to submit their views in writing to the Council may do so provided:

- That the statement reaches the County Office, Didsbury, Alberta, not later than 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, June 15, 1998.
- They comply with the requirements of paragraph 1 a) hereof and that they are present or represented at the public hearing to answer any questions thereon.
- Copies of the above amendments may be inspected at the County Office at 1601 - 15th Avenue, Didsbury, Alberta, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday.

Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 27th day of May, 1998

Harold Johnsrude
County Commissioner

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Elks and Royal Purple host provincial conference

By Ceilidh McClurg

A local businessman has been elected the provincial president of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks in Alberta.

Bill Ward, was installed in his position over the past weekend as part of a huge convention hosted by the Didsbury Elks #514.

The 71st annual convention was held at the Olds College and it was estimated that there were about 160 Elks and 150 Royal Purple members in attendance from all the lodges across Alberta and just across the British Columbia border.

Ward says the joint Elks and Royal Purple conference

is symbolic of how he would like to see the two groups work in the future.

"Both associations will continue to work together," says Ward.

Ward and the current president, Nick Henger spoke about some of the issues that would be discussed at the conference, including declining membership

in the fraternal organization. "We are really promoting membership," said Henger.

Ward said, "I hope to bring some new ideas to that issue."

He spoke of membership drives, and

membership information nights for specific groups in the community.

Other items on the agenda was a discussion on the Institute of Stuttering Treatment and Research and the hearing aid program that the Elks run for disadvantaged children.

Ward says, "It gives you a great sense of pride when you provide a hearing aid for a child and a whole new world opens up for them."

The Elks also put great energies toward local projects by fundraising locally, putting money into a provincial pool, and applying to fund local projects.

Millions are raised each year by the Elks and The Royal Purple.



New Provincial president, Bill Ward of Didsbury.



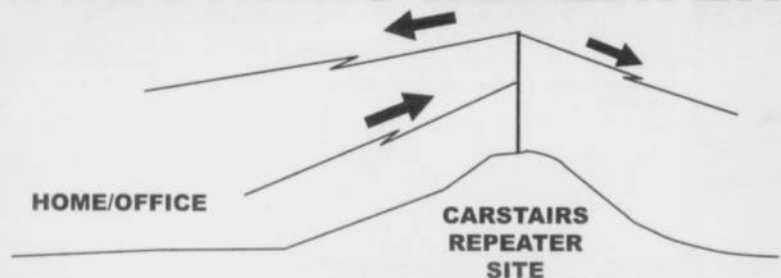
Left-above, The Ladies of the Royal Purple held meetings throughout the conference. Right-above, the vice presidents, Brother Bill Ward, Brother Ken Neumann and Brother Dwayne Romold place the symbols of the Elks on the altar at the Opening Ceremonies.

Left-bottom, The Sherwood Park Elks perform a demonstration of precision patrol of colors.



Brother Lloyd Tevendale, Brother Dave Franz and Brother Jeff Hill take part in the opening ceremonies.

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Lifestyles

The school was alive with the sounds of music

It was a toe-tapping kind of evening at Didsbury High School last week as the students showed off how their musical talents have improved over the past year of taking band lessons at school.

Right, the Senior Didsbury High School band played a medley of sitcom theme songs from the 1970's. The crowd was asked to participate by trying to identify all of the songs. There was also some groovy jiving music, to which a couple of students showed off their dancing shoes.

Below, band teacher Todd Klein conducts with enthusiasm.



Above, the Junior Band sampled selections for the crowd that gathered at DHS last week.

Left, The Didsbury High School Jazz Band put on a performance that not only included music, but a touch of choreography from the trumpeters.

News from the Dragon's Den: Farewell

Welcome to the final addition of the Dragon's Den.

The final results of the senior track team at zones was again fantastic. Each participant found it a little difficult considering they were competing against schools from all across Alberta. Congratulations to all competitors and special mention goes to: Ryan Dalziel who placed second in the Triple Jump and the Long Jump; Steven Redmond who placed first in the 110m Hurdles; Jason Spreeman who placed second in the Discus; Mandy Peterman who placed second in Javelin; and Jolene Heiser, Melissa Feenstra; Tracie Strange and Kim Macklin who were our successful 4 x 100m Relay team.

The Grade 9s are extremely excited to be getting away from the pressures of school to enjoy the great outdoors from June 8-11. Mr. Logan is especially excited after setting the record for attending the most times as chaperone. He said, "It's the 25th anniversary of Grade 9 camp this year." We all hope you have a fun and safe camping trip. Thank goodness we have so many willing chaperones each year. They deserve our appreciation as well.

Mrs. Miller's Social 20 class was educated about Mrs. Bottrill's experiences in South America. She informed the students about the life of an average person in the unfortunate developing nations. Mrs. Bottrill

spent most of her time discussing Peru, Brazil and Ecuador. Matt Siemens, one of the intently interested students listening to her experience, described her presentation as, "interesting and enlightening." The Social 20 class was exposed to the way of life for the people of the Amazon and how they survive. They enjoyed the presentation immensely and found it to be extremely intriguing.

The final band concert of the year was held in DHS gym on June 2. Mr. Klein was very impressed with the turnout to the concert. The concert was another success. Congratulations to all our talented musicians.

Last Friday DHS held a Lip Sync contest in the gym for

some 'goofy' entertainment. Only a few students and of course some of the teachers entered the contest and the result of the competition was Jacqui Ferguson won first prize. Congratulations and good luck next year to all participants.

The DHS Commencement ceremonies for the graduating class of 1998 was a huge success. Appreciation is extended to all the people who volunteered their time to make the day so wonderful, and to all those who attended. Good job to the Grad Committee who organized for months for May 30.

Have a good week and a good summer from all the staff and students at DHS. Best of luck to all the students on their exams.

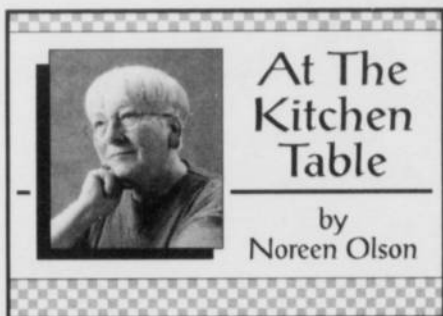
Locals Clear The Air

Didsbury Public Health Nurse, Tara Briggs reports that 427 people within the Region 5 health boundaries, "Cleared the Air" last month.

The campaign asked residents to stop smoking in their homes and phone in their pledge to become entered in a draw for a cruise.

A total of 19,000 participated in Alberta.

The provincial winner was a man from Fort McMurray.



At The Kitchen Table

by
Noreen Olson

People get married all year 'round, but since the days of Ancient Rome, June has been associated with weddings. June is probably named for Juno who was the wife of Jupiter, and in Roman mythology the Queen of Heaven and the special protectress of women and of marriage. She was also a war goddess. The Romans thought that the June full moon was a good omen for weddings. Canadian brides probably choose June because the weather is likely to be decent and there should be green grass, lilacs, apple blossoms and early roses for the photos. Because we are at the height of the June wedding season and, because I have the newest Alberta Statistics Annual Review, I wanted to do a bit on weddings but I have a problem in that I have more information than I can cram into one column. This may become my first two-parter!

There were 17,283 marriages in Alberta in 1996. That's 6.55 marriages for every 1,000 people. Of the grooms, 12,736 have never been married before and 4,121 had been divorced. Of the brides, 12,675 had not been married before and 4,138 had been divorced. In 130 of those marriages the groom was between 15 and 19 years old and so was the bride, but there are a few where the bride was significantly older. Nothing to compare to a British couple, Ruth and Kevin Kimber who were married in August 1990 when she was 93 and he was 28 (*Guinness Book of Marriage*). In 74 of the marriages that Alberta celebrated in 1996, the groom was over 75 and all of the brides were older than 45 so nothing terribly untoward in that category, but two 70+ grooms won brides in the 25-29 group. There are a couple of brides in the 15-19 category who married men in their 50s, four who chose husbands in their 40s, 43 wed men 30+ and 659 girls under 19 years of age married men between 20 and 30. The largest number of marriages was in the 20-24 category. There were 2,425 of these and 2,391 of them were first marriages. Two 75+ men were married for the first time as were two 65-69 and two 70-74 women, but that does not mean that any of these romance minded senior citizens married each other. No 75+ women made first marriages and no one under the age of 14 entered matrimony, in Alberta, in 1996.

In 1996, August was the big wedding month for Albertans, with 3,398, June had 2,382 and July 2,352. May, September and October were right around 1,500 each and January was the slowest month with only 494 marriages. Maybe because everyone is exhausted and broke from Christmas. Still using 1996 numbers, Carstairs had 11 weddings, Crossfield 6, Didsbury 26, Olds 42, and Sundre 35. There were 447 marriages in Banff.

In Britain, seven out of 10 people get married at some time in their lives and I assume that similar figures are true here. In the European community, the UK and Portugal have the highest marriage rates (marriages per 1,000 of the eligible population) and France has the lowest. The longest recorded marriage is one of 86 years between Lady and Sir Temulji Nariman of Bombay, India, but the marriage took place when they were both five. The longest marriage (reliably recorded) for a couple marrying at a normal age, is 83 years for Edd (105) and Margaret (99) Hollen of Kentucky. The longest engagement on record is 67 years between Octavio Guillen 82 and Adriana Martinez 82. They were finally married in Mexico City in 1969 (*Guinness Book of World Records*). And finally, the oldest recorded bridegroom is Harry Stevens, 103, who married Thelma Lucas, a youngster of 84, at a Wisconsin retirement home in October 1982.

Next time I hope to tell you about the biggest and most expensive weddings and maybe a bit on Royal weddings and origin of some customs. This is a very large field.

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Jackson Women's Institute

By Nellie Davies

The Jackson Women's Institute met on May 27 at the home of Joan Foat. There were for 14 members and two guests present and the hostess has chosen "You are my sunshine" as the opening song. This was followed by the Mary Stewart collect.

Roll call was 'my favourite pastime' and the two favourites were gardening in the summer and enjoying a good book in winter time.

The provincial conference is to be held in Camrose on June 9 and 10. It has been suggested that it be held every second or third year, rather than annually. We discussed this so that our delegates would know our wishes when voting.

Noreen Olson received the latest copy of Federated News and at the October 1997 meeting it was decided to help sponsor the Novisi Weaning Industry project.

This would help the women of Ghana produce baby food known as Weanimix. This will provide nutritious food for babies and small children. It was voted to send \$40 to the fund to buy the necessary equipment.

From the Provincial Conventor for Health, Home Economics and Social Services came the suggestion for two topics which she considered would be interesting.

The first was "How much do you know about the food you eat?" The second was the Personal Directives Act, which became the law in 1997. A personal directive lets you choose another person to act on your behalf and make discussions when you are unable

to do so. To be valid, this document must be signed, dated and witnessed after the act became law.

We all felt we would like to have more information on both

of these topics.

The next meeting will be at the home of Marie Olson at 1:30 p.m. on June 24. We welcome visitors at all our meetings.



KIDDIE CARS

A group of kids from Little Wonders Playschool jumped in their cars and drove downtown for a picnic last week.

Photo By Nicole Smith

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Cadets' annual inspection and awards

By Marge St. Clair

Friends and family gathered at the Memorial Complex on June 1 for the evening. After the flags were paraded in and the cadets marched in, the reviewing party was introduced.

Reviewing officer - Major Panes; Alberta Army Cadet League - Bill Blakely; Sponsor Reps - Lloyd Tevendale, Exalted Ruler, Didsbury, BPOE #514; 3025 Didsbury RCACC - Capt. B. Hart, 125, CD, Commanding Officer; Cadet Parade Commander - Cadet MWO Tim Kaczmariski.

The parade positions were: Platoon Sgt. Major - Cadet Sgt. S. Jeffares; Platoon Commander - Cadet M/ Cpl. D. Samoisette; Flag Party Commander - Cadet/ WO, D. Kaczmariski.

The cadets were recognized as follows:

Perfect Attendance - MWO T. Kaczmariski, presented by ER Tevendale, with three or less excused absences. Sgt. S. Jeffares, M/Cpl D. Samoisette, Cpl. Pratt, Cpl. James Phillips, Pvte. D. Drinkwater, Pvte. D. Falconer, Cadet Klassen.

Most Improved Shooter - Trophy donated by the Kinsmen Club of Olds and now sponsored by Mountain View Motors. Presented by Capt. P. Bealing to Pvte. Falconer.

Top Shot - Trophy pre-

sented by Comrade Ed Skelding of the Cremona Legion to MWO T. Kaczmariski.

Staff Award for Perseverance - Trophy presented to Major Panes to Cpl. James Phillips.

Best New Recruit - Sponsored by Res-Q Towing. Trophy presented by Major Panes to Cdt. Klassen.

Top Second Year Cadet - Trophy donated by Kinsmen Club of Olds. Presented by Deputy Mayor Gayle Veno to Pte. Falconer.

Top Third Year Cadet - Trophy sponsored by Medalion Trophies. Presented by 2nd Lt. B. Jeffares to Cpl. T. Pratt.

Most Improved Cadet - Sponsored by Mountain View Credit Union, Didsbury. Presented by Major Panes to Sgt. S. Jeffares.

Top NCO - Sponsored by Carstairs Legion #53. Presented by Comrade Tom Patterson to MWO T. Kaczmariski.

Sid Summers Memorial Award for Outstanding Cadet - Donated by Didsbury Legion #106, now sponsored by Chinook Grain. Presented by Comrade Amos Wilkins to MWO T. Kaczmariski.

Training Awards - Level One-Green Star. Presented by Bill Blakely to Cadet Brilz, Mills, Hollinger, Mackie, Reiter, Klassen and Sanderson.

Level Two-Red Star - Presented by ER Tevendale to Pte. Murdock, Kaczmariski, Drinkwater and Falconer.

Level Three-Silver Star - Presented by Major Panes to Cpl. James Phillips, Jessica Phillips, T. Pratt and J. Townrow.

Level Four-Gold Star - Presented by Lt. D. Anderson to M/ Cpl. D. Samoisette.

Graduation Certificates - Presented by Capt. Hart to M/Cpl. Barry and WO Oilfield and to MWO T. Kaczmariski by his grandpa Walter Kot.



Regimental Cap Brass - Presented by Major Panes to Cdt. Brilz, Mills, Hollinger, Mackie, Reiter, Klassen, Sanderson, Poupart and Rivers.

Promotions - Lt. D. Anderson presented books to the new M/Cpls Pratt, James

Phillips, Jessica Phillips, Townrow. M/Cpl Samoisette to Sgt.

After the closing ceremonies, everyone was invited to the Elks Hall where a group picture was taken and all the displays were set up. A lovely lunch concluded the evening.



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MOTHER MOOSE

This moose and her newborn were in the bushes along Highway 2 last weekend. They were enjoy a chomp on a few trees, before heading off to find another place to enjoy the sun.

Tips to select right steaks for barbecue

A news release from the Alberta Cattle Commission

This is barbecue season and to select the best steak for the occasion, the beef industry has taken steps to eliminate the confusion on what cuts are most suitable, says Marg Thibeault, home economist and public relations manager for the Beef Information Centre (BIC).

The industry has introduced new names for beef cuts that incorporate the cooking method in the name of the steak.

Research has shown many consumers select their meat on eye appeal. They're looking for a steak that is bright red in color has little or no fat and is a good price point. Thibeault explains that based on that criteria, what they end up with is a round steak. They put it on the barbecue and they're less than pleased with the results because it's not as tender as it should be. That's because a round steak needs to be marinated.

"The two categories of steak that we recommend for the barbecue are the marinating steaks and the grilling steaks," said Thibeault.

Those in the marinating category include the inside round, the outside round, eye of round, flank steak and the sirloin top steak. Grilling steaks include the T-bone, tenderloin, rib-eye, sirloin and the strip loin.

The meat cases in many stores are being divided by cooking method. All marinating steaks will be together and all the grilling steaks will be displayed together, complete with preparation and cooking instructions.

"Once it's been decided what type of steak to put on the barbecue, there are some criteria to look out for," said Thibeault.

"First, there should be very little fat trim because too much exterior fat will cause drip, or flare-up. Secondly, the steak should have some fine white lines of fat through the meat. This is called marbling. Under the high heat of the barbecue, the marbling really adds a lot to the tenderness, juiciness and flavour of the steak."

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Faces

a brief glimpse at the people and events in our community

Compiled by Nicole Smith

Top teacher!

Being a teacher is an art. You must be able to combine knowledge, compassion, and patience. A good rapport with your students is also a necessity.

According to the Alberta School Board Association, Laura Aggarwal has all of these qualities and much, much more.

Aggarwal, a Physical Education and Math teacher at Westglen School, has just one the Edwin Parr Teaching Award for excellence in teaching in your first year.

She was selected as a nominee by Chinook's Edge (Zone 4) and is one of six teachers in the province that won.

"I was really shocked. I just feel honoured," Aggarwal said. "I didn't think I would deserve an award like this."

"It's nice to be in a community where students, staff and parents are so open to new ideas."



Laura Aggarwal



Dave Mohr

Main Street Daze

The second annual Main Street Daze celebration is set to kick off June 20 in downtown Didsbury.

The day will begin with a pancake breakfast at 7:30 a.m., hosted by the Didsbury Pathfinders.

There will be plenty of sidewalk sales at local businesses and buskers have been lined up to entertain from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Vanda Agencies' new look

will also be revealed during Main Street Daze.

"Main Street Daze is to celebrate the importance of downtown to our community - the heart and soul of our community," said Dave Mohr, Coordinator of the Main Street Project.

Mohr invites everyone to come downtown and enjoy the festivities. He says that a certain bee might show up for the celebration, too.

SUPER KIDS



SUPER KIDS: Jesse Wozney, Sheylene Thompson, Misty Semaka, Joelle Milne, Randy Hunter, Michael Penner, Bernard Williams, Dean Fischer, Jessica Van Oosten, Jason Thring, Kayla Mackey, Heather McDonald, Lindley Hrabok, Justin Patten.

Teddy Bear Picnic

If you don't have plans for this Sunday, why not head down to Graham Community Hall for a day of fuzzy fun.

A Teddy Bear Picnic will be held at the hall on June 14, from 2-5 p.m. The picnic is being held to raise funds for the restoration and maintenance of Graham Community Hall.

Wendy Buckton is one of the organizers of the picnic and has been busily preparing for it. She and Rosemary Homister have hand-crafted teddy bear trophies, raffle tickets and door prizes.

Some of the events that will take place at the picnic are face painting, a bear museum, fish pond, a petting zoo, dog cart rides, scavenger hunt and, of course, a picnic.

Buckton says that the menu will consist of sandwiches, watermelon, and cookies, "typical picnic food."

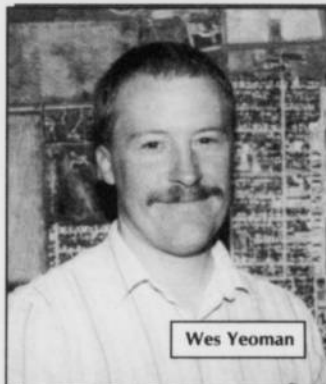
Along with the children's activities, there will be a bake table and bear sale inside the hall.

Buckton encourages anyone who wants to dress up like a bear to do so. There will be prizes for "Best Dressed Bear" and "Best Bear in Disguise."

"We just like bears," said Buckton. "We tried to pick something that the kids would really enjoy." Graham Community Hall is located 10 miles west of Cremona and signs will be posted.



Wendy Buckton



Wes Yeoman

Waste welcome

Do you have old cans of paint or pesticides in your shed and you don't know how to dispose of them?

Well, the Town of Didsbury is giving you the opportunity to get rid of your hazardous waste for no charge on June 19 at the Household Hazardous Waste Round-up.

From 4-7 p.m. you can drop off your hazardous waste like old paint cans, pesticides, herbicides, antifreeze and old cleaning products, at the Public Works yard.

"We encourage people to bring it down to the round-up instead of it going down their drains or in the garbage," said Wes Yeoman, Director of Engineering and Operational Services for the Town of Didsbury.

This annual event is being sponsored by the Town of Didsbury and Alberta Environmental Protection. Also, the Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board has volunteered to help with the event, so it will be a "three-way partnership."

Once all the hazardous waste has been collected, RDB Environmental Services will take it all down to Swan Hills for proper disposal.

Yeoman says that the event has been very successful in the past years and expects the same again this year.



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So... Now what's to eat?



**Sheryl
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Sheryl Rothert likes to provide our readers with good-tasting, nutritious, low-cost, and quick-to-make recipes with easy-to-follow instructions. The recipes are usually quite basic with changes provided to satisfy most tastes. Sheryl has a B.Sc. and B.Ed. in Home Economics with close to 15 years teaching experience. You are welcome to drop off your comments, suggestions, and/or contributions to the Review office.

So sorry to have missed you the last couple of weeks - we were having technology problems - now we're back on track with a great recipe for a cool dessert - cool temperature and, well, just COOL! it goes well after a BBQ on the weekend -

Icy Lime Souffle

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| 1 envelope unflavoured gelatin | 1/3 c. lime juice |
| Sugar | Grated lime peel of 1 lime |
| 1/2 tsp. Salt | 1/8 tsp. Green food colouring |
| 4 eggs, separated | 1 c. whipping cream |
| 1/2 c. cold water | |

1. Stir gelatin with 1/4 c. sugar and salt: mix well in a double boiler.
2. In small bowl, beat egg yolks (using wire whisk) with cold water and lime juice until mixed; stir into gelatin mixture.
3. Cook over hot water (not boiling), stirring constantly, until mixture thickens and coats a spoon.
4. Remove mixture from heat, stir in 1 tsp. grated peel and food colouring: pour into large bowl and cool to room temp.; stir occasionally. Meanwhile prepare 'collar' for 1 qt. Souffle dish. (cut a length of foil to fit around top of dish and overlap by 2"; foil needs to be 5" wide to extend over dish by 3"; fasten with tape)
5. In a small bowl, beat egg whites with electric mixer to form soft peaks; while beating at high speed, gradually sprinkle in 1/2 c. sugar until dissolved. Whites should be in stiff peaks. Spoon into bowl with lime mixture.
6. Whip cream and fold into lime mixture.
7. Pour into prepared souffle dish; chill 3 hrs.
8. Remove foil collar and garnish souffle with remaining lime peel.

Changes: You may use whipped topping in place of the whipping cream. You may also use lemon or orange in place of the lime.

Tip of the week: Those popsicles also work well using pudding, especially Chocolate Fudge!

Library look-out

Coming Events:

To celebrate "Senior Citizens Week, June 7-13" the library is doing a program called "Surfing for Seniors." If you have ever wondered what the internet is all about, well here is your chance to see the "Information Highway" in action. It will be projected on a screen for easy viewing. The surfing will occur on June 10 at the Didsbury Municipal Library from 7-9 p.m. For more information contact the library.

On June 20, we will be celebrating the library's 90th anniversary with an open house. Everyone is welcome, especially all past library board trustees and staff. Watch for more details about activities in the coming weeks for the open house.

Blue lights illegal

By Ceilidh McClurg

A new trend in cars lately has been blue or bright yellow headlights, but the RCMP warn they may be cool, but they are not safe or legal.

Const. Morley Lippai from the Didsbury detachment says he has been informed that his subdivision that he and the other local officers are to be on the look out for these type of lights.

They are currently being sold under the brand name Eurolite and Heliolite and appear to be blue in color.

The department of transportation has told all local RCMP detachments that they should be on the lookout for any of these lights that were not factory installed in the BMW's, Lincoln's, Mercedes', or Porsche's.

The reason for the problem with these lights is that the

bulbs do not comply with the Canadian Motor Vehicle Standard due to the fact that they do not provide enough illumination because the light direction is not controlled as required, and the overwhelming heat of the bulbs can melt plastic headlight casings.

Also the wattage of these bulbs ranges from 80 to 100 watts, which is far above the federal standard of 55 to 65 watts.

If anyone within the Didsbury's RCMP jurisdiction is found to have the illegal version of the lights (those not factory installed), the local officer warns that warning tickets will be issued.

If the warning ticket is not complied to, the RCMP have the right to seize and fine the culprit.

RELIGION

Ethical dilemmas: Way of life

Life is seldom simple, and choices are often difficult to make. There are very few decisions that are black and white, rather most are shades of grey.

Historically our province has provided assistance to communities for the erection of public facilities such as curling rinks and children's camps. These funds were generated by our tax system and shared by all taxpayers.

Our current provincial government has chosen to tie grants to communities and organizations for facility enhancement to funds generated by gambling. This presents an ethical dilemma for many. Some are simply opposed to gambling of any sort. Some are particularly concerned about VLTs, believing them to be a particularly potent social curse.

So, if you are one who feels

strongly that gambling is wrong, you have a problem applying for grants. In effect, then, you are letting the provincial government off the hook so far as the support of public facilities is concerned.

However, I would suggest that even if you believe gambling is an acceptable recreation, you might still oppose the current practice because it is using the recreation of a few to bear the whole

brunt of community support by our province.

This is one of life's ethical dilemmas. Personally I could not, in conscience, use a grant generated in this way.

My approach then is to press the government of our province to return to the use of tax-generated funds to support my community.

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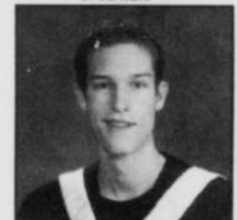
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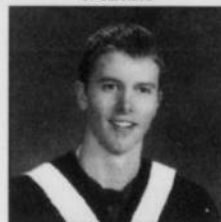
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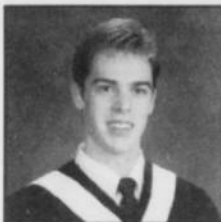
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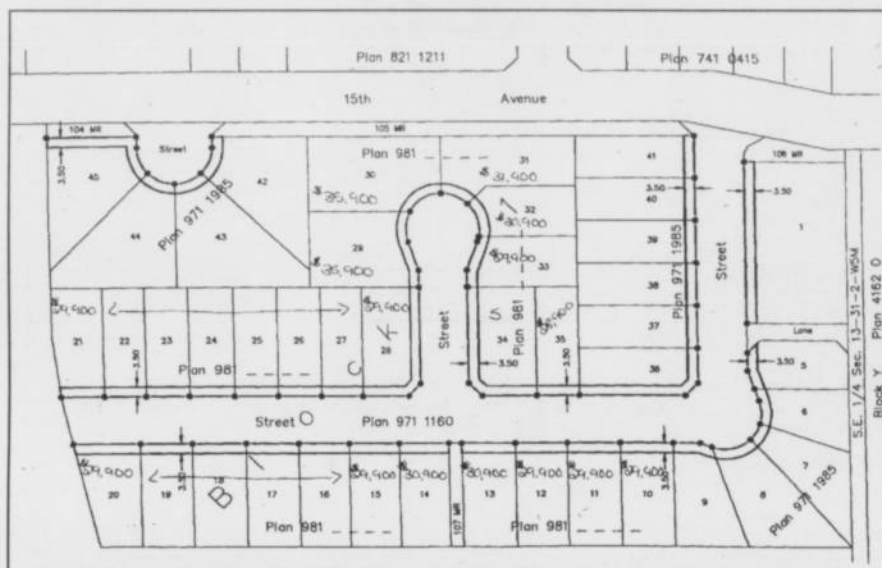
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In Business

Delayed development starts to break ground



By Ceilidh McClurg

Delays and more delays, is the reason the Westpoint Developments project has been stagnant for the past year, says Kim Soucy.

Soucy, who was speaking on the company's behalf, says weather, paperwork snags, and difficulty in finding good contractors seems to have put obstacles at every turn for the development along 15 Ave. However, she is pleased to report that they have overcome all of the problems and not only is the dirt beginning to move, but the phone is ringing with inquiries from potential buyers.

"We've officially started selling," Soucy reports. "We've sold half of them already." The sale was to another developer who will sell off each lot. The other half still remain in Westpoint's hands, and they are prepared to watch the other half of the 45 lots sell.

The first sale will close the end of July.

"There should be construction (of some new homes) this summer," she says.

Soucy says the majority of the interest has come from local residents who are "looking for an upscale middle-class home."

The rest of the interest in the development is coming from city dwellers who are looking to get out of the fast pace lifestyle that city living demands.

"It's a place where you know your neighbour. You know

who's walking down the street. You can stop in at the coffee shop and you know who is having coffee," says Soucy.

She adds that it is especially attractive to city dwellers who wish to keep their jobs in Calgary or Red Deer because the town is within a reasonable commuting distance.

Currently, the concrete crews have been out starting the curbs and sidewalks. The electric company and gas company have begun installing their lines.

When the project is done it will be very classy, says Soucy.

A huge stone and wrought iron gate will be the welcoming token of the subdivision. The homes that sit behind the gate will have a minimum square footage of between 1200 and 1500 square feet.

Each buyer will have to conform to architectural guidelines that include things like brick work, brass accents and delicate landscaping.

The cost of lots ranges from \$28,900 to \$35,900 depending on size and location.

Westpoint Developments has worked on other such subdivisions including a 30 lot division called Deer Haven Estates in Springbank near Calgary.

There is a Didsbury direct line at 335-9989 for Westpoint.

David Stanley, owner of Westpoint developments has other financial stakes in the town, including ownership of the old Auction Market building on Main Street.

Preserving the legacy of the family farm

ALBERTA AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Regional Advisory Services

By Ted Darling, Farm Management Specialist - Airdrie District Office

In my job as a farm management specialist I get the opportunity to talk with a lot of farm families. Many of these families are looking for information about expanding their operations, changing their business arrangements or passing the farm to their children. However, in the past year or two I've met with several families that are asking a whole different question, "How can we preserve the legacy that is our parents' family farm?"

A bit of quick arithmetic tells us that the first of the baby boomers are starting to turn 50 and their parents are probably

in their 70s or 80s. While many "boomers" stayed on the farm to build successful businesses and careers, even more went to university, learned a trade or started their own businesses in the cities. As these boomers' parents approached retirement, they scaled down their operations, sold their machinery and livestock and perhaps moved to town. As often as not the land was rented out, usually to a trusted relative or neighbour. Ten to twenty years later these parents, who are now quite elderly, are turning to their children for help in planning their estates.

I recently met with a family that exemplifies many of the situations I'm seeing. The

Smiths (not their real name) are an extended family whose parents farmed in the central Alberta area. The four children, all successful business owners or professionals, sat down with me to discuss how they could help their aging parents transfer their six quarters of farm land. Furthermore, they wanted to discuss strategies that would allow them to own and manage this asset together into the future. The Smiths told me that they have no intention of allowing the land to leave the family and that they're trying to find a way to pass it on to yet another generation.

I was able to help them by answering a few questions about land transfer options, tax and business arrangements and they were able to help me recognize that this type of land ownership may become more common in the future. Furthermore, I think that land owners who have a

long term planning horizon and freely use words like "legacy" and "stewardship" can only be positive for our industry. The most important issue to people like the Smiths is the responsible and sustainable management of the land. They're not concerned with getting the highest possible financial return and so, in my opinion, make good landlords for farmers wishing to expand their operations with rented land.

As the agricultural industry evolves and the size of grain and livestock operations increases, it becomes more important to recognize that farming and owning farmland are not necessarily tied together. Land owners like the Smiths may provide part of the answer for progressive farm business operators who know they must expand but who also know they can't afford to be buying land.

4H Show Success

Trochu and District 4H Show and Sale, conducted by the Innisfail Auction Market, on June 2 was a great sale.

Grand Champion steer was owned by Alex Debeaudrap of the Huxley 4H Club. The steer weighed 1283 lbs. and sold at \$1.81/lb. to Highway Service of Beiseker.

Reserve Grand Champion steer owned by Ryan Paget of Three Hills 4H Club. The steer weighed 1285 and sold at \$1.52/lb. to Feed Rite of Linden.

In total there were 66 4H steers sold by Huxley, Three Hills and Swalwell Clubs for a total average of just over \$1.36/lb.

Coming events in agriculture in the Didsbury area

3rd Annual Alberta Poultry Producer's Workshop: June 16-18, Red Deer Lodge, Red Deer. Contact: Warren Chorney, (403) 250-1197.

Stockmen's Range Management Course: June 18, Goodfare Hall, W of Hwy 2 on Sec Hwy 671, Beaverlodge. Contact: Donna Lawrence, (403) 624-6345.

Stock Dog Trail - Red Deer Highland Games: June 26-27 (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.) Westerner Grounds, Red Deer. Fee: Novice-\$20, Pro-Novice-\$30, Open-\$40 (\$5 deduction for ASDA Members). Contact: Larry Bell, RR2, Delburne, AB, (403) 749-2475, Fax (403)-749-2475.

Stock Dog - Goldenrod Sheep Dog Trail: June 28-29, Airdrie. Contact: Denis Nagel, (403) 946-4299.

Hitting the Mark - Beef Improvement Federation 30th Annual Meeting and Research Symposium: June 30-July 3, Calgary. Contact: Canadian Beef Breeds Council, (403) 730-0350, Fax (403)-275-8490.

Stock Dog - Calgary Stampede Stock Dog Shoot Out:

July 3-4, Calgary Stampede Grounds, Calgary. Contact: MAX, (403) 261-0266.

1998 Provincial Direct Seeding Day: July 7, 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., 1 km west of Hwy 2-32 St exit, Red Deer. Contact: Michelle McKinnon, Conservation Coordinator, (403) 948-8512, Fax (403)-948-2069.

Parelli Natural Horsemanship Clinic: July 11-14, Olds College Arena, Olds. Fee: Primary clinic \$400 and Secondary clinic \$400. Auditor tickets are \$100/clinic. Contact: Mary Ann and Don Marcellus, (403) 556-1PNH (556-1764), Fax (403)-556-3635.

4-H Dairy Show: July 17-18, Westerner Exposition, Red Deer. Contact: Henry Wiegman, (403) 422-4444.

4-H Horse Classic and Project Fair: July 29-31, Olds College, Olds. Contact: Henry Wiegman, (403) 422-4444.

4-H Judging Competition: August 7-8, Olds. Contact: Henry Wiegman, (403) 422-4444.

Agriculture Week: October 12-16, Alberta. Contact: Ron Glen, (403) 427-2137.

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In accordance with Part 2, Division 2 of the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act, Mobil Oil Canada, Ltd. has applied to Alberta Environmental Protection for a renewal of an existing approval to operate the Lone Pine Creek sour gas plant, to upgrade the industrial runoff control facilities and to remediate the industrial wastewater evaporation pond at the site. The plant capacity is 1400 x 10³m³.

Pursuant to section 70 of the Environment Protection and Enhancement Act, any person who is directly affected by this operation may submit a written statement of concern regarding this application. Failure to file a statement of concern may affect the right to file a notice of objection (on appeal) with the Environmental Appeal Board. Such a statement of concern must be submitted to:

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Regulatory Approvals Center
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within 30 days of the date of this notice. Please quote Application No. 002-11341 when submitting a statement of concern. **NOTE: Any statement filed regarding this application are public records which are accessible by the public.**

Copies of the renewal application can be obtained from:

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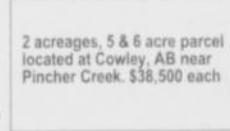
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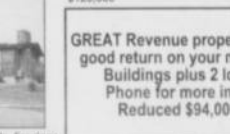
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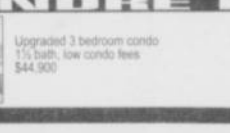
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OLD LISTINGS

SUNDRE LISTINGS

Spring harvesting of alfalfa

The warm dry spring conditions that have occurred this year have resulted in many alfalfa stands advancing to the bud stage by the first week in June. This earlier maturity in 1998 is important to take note of if forage quality is to be maintained in baled hay. There are several options that can be used to determine the right time to cut alfalfa fields. Here's a quick review of some of the more popular methods used by hay growers.

The staging method uses the physical growth development of the alfalfa plants to gauge both maturity and quality. Generally, when alfalfa reaches the bud stage the quality characteristics have peaked in the alfalfa plant. As the alfalfa plant moves from bud to early flowering to full flower protein levels decline and fibre levels increase resulting in a less digestible feed source. If this system is being used, hay growers need to be thoroughly aware of the potential quality differences between various stages of growth. To produce dairy quality hay, alfalfa needs to be harvested at the mid to late bud stages of growth. It is important to note that alfalfa stands can advance from the bud to early flowering stage within seven to 10 days.

A second approach to determining cutting dates is to use a fixed calendar period for harvesting. This approach is best used on second or third cuts where hay growers establish the number of days of regrowth they will need before their alfalfa stands reach a specific level of quality. Shorter intervals (30 to 35 days) are used if quality is the primary concern and longer intervals if yield is the primary goal. A specific calendar date is not that effective for first cuts since spring growing conditions will influence the rate of maturity. Alfalfa growth this spring is a prime example. Due to the earlier spring, harvesting will be a week to 10 days earlier than normal if the objective is to harvest alfalfa in the late bud or early flower stages. Delayed harvesting may be an option in some areas to increase yields where growth has been restricted due to the dry soil conditions.

A third option is to sample the fields and determine the actual feed quality through a feed test. This provides the hay grower with an estimate of the current forage quality in the alfalfa stand. Samples may be taken over several weeks so that a trend can be established for the average decline in forage quality. From this information a hay grower can estimate the most appropriate time to harvest the alfalfa crop.

Due to the variation in our growing conditions from season to season it is important to look at a number of methods for estimating cutting dates. Calendar dates only provide a rough estimate of when harvesting should be completed while field staging or sampling can provide a more accurate estimate of both quality and cutting date.

Canadian Wheat Board bulletin

At a glance:

The Canadian Transportation (CTA) hearings move to Ottawa this week for final argument on June 4 and 5. The hearings into the CWB's level of service complaint against CP began on March 30.

The eastern part of the Prairies suffered some minor crop damage as a result of low temperatures late last week. Below-freezing tem-

peratures hit north-eastern Saskatchewan and north-western Manitoba and, as a result, some re-seeding may be required. Canola will likely be the crop most affected. Looking ahead, the weather forecast calls for frost right across the Prairies over the next three or four days.

From elevator to port:

For the week of May 25 to 31, rail car unloads for the six

major grains totalled 2,398 at Vancouver (target: 2,240) and 583 at Prince Rupert (target: 700). At Thunder Bay, rail car unloads totalled 1,405 (target: 2,400).

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Olds Auction Market Report

Market report for the week ending June 2
Cattle 1084. Hogs 210.

BUTCHER CATTLE:

C1 Heiferettes 57 to 75; Feeder Cows 52 to 58.
Grain Fed and Exotic 52 to 57; Med. Flesh Cows 45 to 50.
Older Cows 40 to 45; Holstein Cows 45 to 51.
Bologna Bulls 60 to 69;

REPLACEMENT CATTLE

250-380 lb steers 120 to 140; heifers 115 to 130
400 lb steers 120 to 140; heifers 111 to 126
500 lb steers 117 to 136; heifers 110 to 121
600 lb steers 113 to 130; heifers 102 to 117
700 lb steers 105 to 115; heifers 98 to 113
800 lb steers 96 to 106; heifers 94 to 104
900 lb steers 89 to 100; heifers 85 to 97
1000 lb steers 85 to 96; heifers 83 to 93
Cow/Calf pairs 890 to 1270



DAIRY BARN:

Baby bull calves 75 to 230; with larger calves 240 to 450
Baby heifer calves 70 to 215; with larger calves 220 to 425
Dairy Cows 550 to 1100

HOG DIVISION:

Weiner pigs 19 to 31;
Small feeders 32 to 46; Larger feeders 50 to 84
Sows and gilts 75 to 135; Boars 60 to 100

SHEEP AND GOATS:

Ewes 70; Feeder lambs 110
Nannies 75; Billies 90

Weather Report

Precipitation:

For week:

Actual 4.6 mm

Normal 12.5 mm

For month:

Accumulated 63.0 mm

Normal 50.25 mm

Crop Year (Ap. 1 to Oct. 31)

Accumulated 88.1 mm

Normal 81.9 mm

Temperature:

Max high +25 on May 31

Min Low +6 on May 28

Average temp for week:

+14.68

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Troy Ivanics wrestles down a steer in 7.2 seconds at the Water Valley Rodeo, held this past weekend. He tied for fifth place with Robert Curtis in the bulldogging event. Lots of fans turned out to watch the show.

Local rodeo results

The results are in from the Water Valley Rodeo, held June 6 and 7 in Water Valley.

Wild Cow Milking: 1. Jim Stitt, 2. Bill Nugent, 3. Keith Anderson. Scores unavailable.

Team Roping: 1. Dallas McAllister and Roger McAllister, 8 seconds; 2. Kyle Thomson and Jesse Thomson, 9.7 seconds; 3. Cody Thomson and Kirk Thomson, 10.1 seconds; 4. Greg and Kathy Cruikshank, 19.6 seconds; 5. Mike Smith and Filip Williams, 23.7 seconds.

Boys Steer Riding: 1. Loree McKenzie, 76 points; 2. Daniel Lemieux, 70 points; 3. Jesse Torkelson, 69 points; 4/5/6 Jared Paulson, Jordie Nash, Tanner Walgenbeuk, 66 points each.

Junior Barrel Racing: 1. Shelbi Hofer, 17.205 seconds; 2. Alycia Sauback, 17.363 seconds; 3. Brooke Ramsay, 17.583 seconds; 4. Shaylee French, 17.589 seconds; 5. Kaylee Smith, 17.589 seconds; 6. Pamela Welsh, 17.762 seconds.

Ladies Barrel Racing: 1. Lorrie Goodwin, 16.541 seconds; 2. Kylie McLean, 16.697 seconds; 3. Karen Reding, 16.770 seconds; 4. Sheryl Vansco, 16.886 seconds; 5. Amanda Ward, 17.033 seconds; 6. Bobbie Goodwin, 17.074 seconds.

Calf Roping: 1. Derek Syverson, 10.8 seconds; 2/3 Coyne Tonneson and Cody Walburger, 11.7 seconds; 4. Earl Bougerolle, 11.9 seconds; 5. Dustin McKean, 12.2 seconds; 6. Doug Crawford, 14.5 seconds.

Saddle Bronc: 1/2 Jim Scott and Cody Meston, 73 points; 3. Brett Perkins, 72 points; 4. Doug McLeod, 70 points; 5. Wayne Davidson, 69 points; 6. Jack Clay and Bill Nash, 68 points.

Bareback: 1. Brent Foster, 76 points. Winner of the Elmer Foster Memorial Trophy. 2. Bryon Roberts, 69 points; 3/4 Reed Moynham and Chris Dessault, 68 points; 5. Russel Schultz, 67 points; 6. Jason Humphrey, 66 points.

Steer Wrestling: 1. Jim Stitt, 5.8 seconds; 2. Keith Anderson, 6.7 seconds; 3. Greg Hoar, 6.8 seconds; 4. Mike Hepfner, 7.0 seconds; 5/6 Troy Ivanics and Robert Curtis, 7.2 seconds.

Bull Riding: 1. Kelly Tubbs, 75 points; 2/3 Jason Murray and Darcy Campbell, 74 points; 4. Devin Borton, 73 points; 5. Rodger Green, 72 points; 6. Duncan MacKintosh, 71 points.

OVERTIME

The action starts Tuesday night as the defending Stanley Cup champion Detroit Red Wings get set to do battle against the Washington Capitals.

The Wings are looking to be the first repeat champs since the Pittsburgh Penguins did it back in 1991 and 1992. And in order to do so they somehow have to find a way to beat Olaf Kolzig, or as his teammates call him, Godzilla. The 6'3", 225 pound South African native hasn't been anything less than spectacular since the start of the playoffs.

On the other hand, Chris Osgood has shown flashes of brilliance, especially in the last round against the Dallas Stars.

Of course, who can forget Jamie Langenbrunner's game five overtime winner from centre ice, giving him the nickname Os-goat. But that's one fluke mistake ... no wait, didn't Al MacInnis do the same thing to Osgood the round before? Everybody knows that's only two bad goals out of 300-plus shots. Funny they came

when the pressure was really on, huh?

I guess there's no need to go into great details on this; Kolzig is in fact the better goalie. And the Caps also have an edge defensively-speaking. They all play their role nicely, making it that much tougher on the opposition.

However, on the flip side, most people may think Detroit's a powerhouse defensively. Nothing could be further from the truth.

But what some don't realize is just how solid these Capitals are up front. They have two great scoring lines in: Peter Bondra, Andrei Nikolishin and Richard Zednick, and Adam Oates, Brian Bellows and Joe Janeau. Plus Sergei Gonchar and Calle Johansson can produce on the blue line.

Detroit though, has three great scoring lines with: Steve Yzerman, Sergei Federov and Martin Lapointe; Brendon Shanahan, Igor Liorionov, and Slava Kozlov; and Daren McCarty, Kirk Maltby and Thomas Holmstrom. Of course there's Niklas Lindstrom and Larry Murphy who will always help put points on the board.

But really, the truth remains that you can spend forever analysing the statistics, but one thing you cannot analyse is heart and grit. And both teams are full of that.

Two for the family

By Wendy Bauer

I recently viewed two videos that I'm sure your kids will love. You may even admit to liking them too. Both movies are PG and there is nothing to worry about in either of them.

"Fairy Tale" is based on an incident which took place during the First World War. Whether the story is true or the result of a need for people to believe in something magical and uplifting during a horrendous time is left for the viewer to decide.

The story revolves around a family who live in the English countryside, consisting of a father who is a photographer, Mum, and one daughter. The family has recently lost a member, a young brother/son. His legacy is an unfinished fairy house, a project he and his sister were working on at the time of his death. The house sits in his sister's bedroom until a cousin comes to visit for the summer and the strange tale begins.

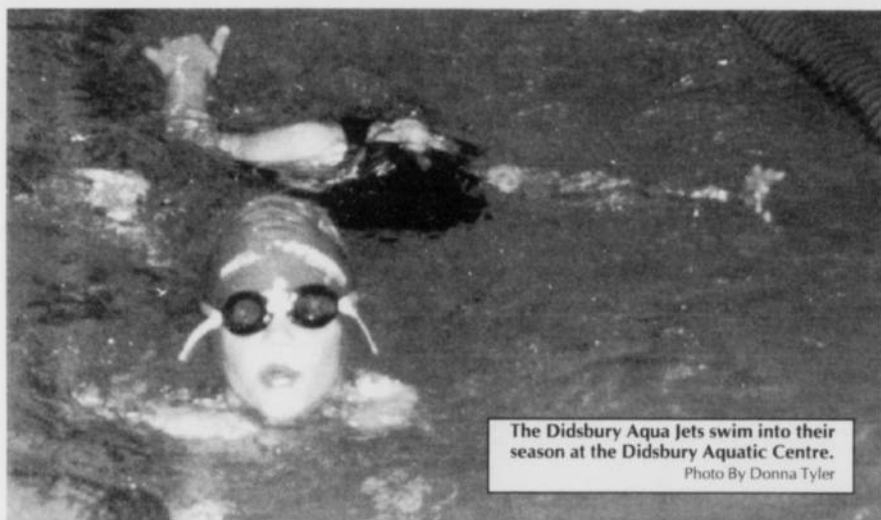
One afternoon Frances and Elsie decide to take photos of their fairy friends. The fairies acquiesce as long as the girls promise not to tell anyone. So much for the best laid plans of mice and fairies. Throughout the movie we are shown clips of Harry Houdini expressing his feelings on his magic being called a hoax. Once word gets out about the fairies living in the girls' backyard, both Houdini and Sir

Arthur Conan Doyle become involved in the situation. The men are very skeptical and attempt to debunk the photos. I will not tell you any more because there are a few very magical moments after this that I do not want to spoil and I certainly don't want to reveal the ending. Watch for a surprise cameo in the movie too.

Movie number two is "Star Kid." The show begins with us witnessing a war between two alien creatures. The Yoda-like underdogs manage to launch a rocket containing a prototype Cybersuit into space to avoid it being captured by the enemy. The rocket is thrown off course and lands on Earth. Spencer, a nerdy young kid who seems to live vicariously through comic books, witnesses a meteor landing near his home. Upon investigation he finds the spaceship. His curiosity leads him to become the symbiotic host which brings the Cybersuit, Cy for short, to life. One of the first things to come to Spencer's mind is how he can use his new found friend to settle an old score with the local bully. Unfortunately, his plans for revenge soon become unimportant when a mutant bounty hunter lands on earth intent on capturing Cy and returning him to the wrong side. The fight to save Cy creates new friendships and helps Spencer lose his undeserved label.



Robert
MAGEE



The Didsbury Aqua Jets swim into their season at the Didsbury Aquatic Centre.
Photo By Donna Tyler

Full swim of things

The Didsbury Aqua Jets Swim Club is in the full "swim" of things. Club members hit the water at the beginning of May and have been training for their first meet which was held in Didsbury on June 6.

The club is boasting a population of over 75 swimmers this season.

The swim club offers young swimmers a "Junior Program" where skills are practised in stroke and swim technique. Fun and fitness are an element of this program as well. The "regular program" swimmers are coached to improve and perfect their stroke and swim techniques. Fitness and fun are also stressed in the total development of each swimmer. Competition is optional, but encouraged.

The Didsbury Aqua Jets are coached by three enthusiastic and vibrant coaches: Lynne Chernow, Colleen Jegou and Chad Durieux.

In the next meet many of the swimmers will be competing and will be held in Calgary on June 13.

Good luck to all swim participants and have a great season of swimming.

Snowstorm Soccer

By Frank Pavlick

Soccer, hello O Canada,
The World Cup on the way,
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Here's how that picture went,
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The World Cup brings 'em out, force first,
Amazing what might be,
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The Friday performance headliner is six time World Champion Ty Murray from Stephanville, Texas. Murray will be competing in three events on Big Stone's bucking horses and a Wayne Vold bull.

Saturday starts off with a Pancake Breakfast at 8 a.m. in Innisfail at the Legion. Then there is a parade at 10:30 a.m. We will start with a full line of rodeo events at the Daines Ranch at 1:30 p.m. and the second performance is at 7 p.m. with Kessler Rodeo stock featured in that performance.

Sunday, the final performance with featured cowboy included is the current World Champion, All Around Champion and Saddle Bronc Champion, Dan Mortenson. Mortenson has drawn an outstanding bucking horse from the Calgary Stampede in the Saddle Bronc, a bull from Big Stone that has not been qualified on this year. To kick the rodeo off in the Wild Cow Milking, Mortenson has a cow that has never been milked.

For more information call the Rodeo Office at (403) 227-3166. Listed below are the official starting times of the Professional Rodeo:

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working and still has time
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J.T.A.

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02 BIRTHS

STEWART - Candace, Jesse and Joshua are proud to announce the arrival of their sister, Shauntay Louise, born May 21, 1998 at 9:58 a.m., 7 lbs. 5 oz. Proud parents are Cam and Nan Stewart. 8-11

06 OBITUARIES

MCMANN: Orville Arthur McMann was born May 6, 1920 on a farm home north of Provost, Alberta. He passed away peacefully May 30, 1998 after a courageous battle with cancer. He leaves to mourn his loving wife Hazel, sons, Vernard (Judy), Gary (Emily), Carmen (Eileen), daughters, Yvonne (Wes), Kopecki, Lorna (Gary) Fisher, 12 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren, brothers, Harold (Margaret), Robert (Sadie), one sister-in-law, Fern (Louie) Psikla, sister-in-law Rita, numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, cousins and friends. He was predeceased by a young daughter Myrna in 1947, his mother, father, and brother Lorne. Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 2, 1998 at the Zion Evangelical Missionary Church with Pastor John Lucas officiating. Interment at Didsbury Cemetery. Memorial tributes may be made directly to the Canadian Cancer Society or the charity of one's choice. 8-11

07 CARD OF THANKS

WE WOULD LIKE to express our sincere thanks to all the friends, family and neighbours who brought gifts of food, flowers and offers of help. Everyone's kindness and thoughtful visits were deeply appreciated. A special thank you to Ward Value Drug Mart, Olds nursing staff, the homecare nurses, Dr. Jackson, Pastor John, Dennis Punter and all the ladies who provided and served lunch. Thank you also for your prayers and love during this difficult time. Hazel McMann, Vern and Judy, Yvonne and Wes, Gary and Emily, Carmen and Eileen, Lorna and Gary and the grandchildren. 8-11

07 CARD OF THANKS

WE WISH TO express our heartfelt thanks to everyone who helped see us through the loss of our son. To everyone who called and prayed for us, and to everyone who helped with the service. A special thank you to Dr. Cassis, the staff at the Red Deer Hospital and to Dr. Jackson, also, a very special thank you to Father Les. "Some people only dream of angels, we held one in our hands." Brian, Joanne, Rosemarie and Sarah Braun. 8-11

09 MEMORIAM

IN MEMORY OF Jim Hooper, June 12, 1994.

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10 COMING EVENTS

MIXED BRIDAL shower for Tara Jaffray and Sean Phillips, Wednesday June 17, 7:30 p.m. at Rosebud Community Hall. Potluck lunch. Everyone welcome. 8-11

IN HONOUR OF Florence Cawsey's 80th Birthday, you are invited to celebrate with her on Saturday, June 13 at the Didsbury 5-0 Club, from 1-4 p.m. Entertainment followed by lunch served from 2-3 p.m. Please no gifts - your presence is your gift. 8-11

10 COMING EVENTS

INTERNATIONAL GOALTENDERS School BC: Kamloops, July 20 - 24. Alberta: Edmonton, July 13 - 17. Calgary, Aug. 8 - 15, Drayton Valley, Aug. 16 - 19, Stettler, Aug. 26 - 29. Call IGS, Yorkton. Fax 1-306-786-6685. Toll free 1-888-782-3400. awna

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A LARGE INTERNATIONAL Alberta based company has immediate openings for people to complete agricultural marketing surveys in or near your area. This job is ideally suited to a person capable of scheduling their own time and whom is credible and well known in the local area. A sound knowledge of agricultural equipment and maintenance practices is an asset. Remuneration is generously based on complete surveys. (Each survey takes approximately 1/2 hour to one hour). Earnings should easily reach \$100 plus per day. Vehicle required. Please call Ralph Lewis at (403) 252-2549 or 1-800-661-7777. 8-1t

PARTS PERSON jobber store located 2 1/2 hours N.E. of Edmonton. Minimum 5 years experience. Top salary plus benefits and performance bonuses. Only aggressive and organized need apply. Send resume: BTB, Box 306, Lac La Biche, AB, T0A 2C0. awna

SALES PERSON REQUIRED. Highly motivated recreational sport enthusiast, snowmobile and watercraft. Full-time position. Ecco Marine Ltd., Alberta Beach, Marvin, 403-924-3255 or 403-428-1464. awna

CENTRAL ALBERTA Ford dealer looking for apprentice or licensed full-time mechanic. Any Ford experience an asset. Please fax resume to: 403-843-3290. Attention: Vern. awna

LAKESIDE FARM INDUSTRIES Ltd. is currently seeking a qualified pen rider (pay range \$10. to \$13.50/hour). Duties include daily pen checking of up to 8000 cattle, sorting, and moving sick cattle to hospital areas, and assisting in administering medical treatments. Monthly horse and tack allowance of \$250. (maximum of 3 horses) is paid in addition to feed. Applicants with experience in similar lots or possessing secondary training qualify for starting wages above the minimum. Lakeside offers a comprehensive medical and benefits package in addition to competitive salaries. If you are interested in the above position, send your resume via fax to 403-362-8231. awna

WANTED EXPERIENCED Cat, grader and track hoe operators. Also require tank truck drivers. Must have experience. Fax 403-876-2070. awna

PARTS PERSONS. The Gear Centre Group of companies specialize in supplying parts and rebuilding transmissions, differentials, drivelines, steering components and hydraulics for all types of equipment. We require entry level and experienced parts persons for our Edmonton branches. Must be mechanically inclined. Training will be provided. Submit a resume to: Human Resources, 14713 - 116 Ave., Edmonton, AB, T5M 3E8. Fax 403-451-0341. awna

SUNNY OKANAGAN area BC, Volkswagen licensed automotive technician. Self starting, motivated, team oriented, good communication skills. Flat rate shop. Great lifestyle. Fax resume to: 250-545-2351. awna

EXPERIENCED TRUCK DRIVERS required immediately for bedtrucks winch tractors and picker operators. Fax resume to: Basnett Truck Service, 1-403-835-5576. awna

WATERFRONT PERSON required for youth camp near Edson. July and August. Contact Linda, 403-481-1293. awna

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LONE PINE CHEESE
We're looking for hardworking, conscientious people to join our team in the near future. Lone Pine Cheese and Neapolis Dairy Products has upcoming employment opportunities available in our cheese production facilities. Heavy lifting involved and must be willing to work various shifts. Starting wage is \$7.00/h. Please drop off a resume or complete an application at **Lone Pine Cheese, #7 Co-op Rd. Didsbury (2 blocks south of FasGas)**. Only applicants being considered will be contacted. No phone calls please.

J. LUND SERVICES INC. is currently recruiting gas plant operators for several producers in N.E. Alberta. A strong background in compression and dehydration is absolutely necessary. Applicants should be prepared to work in a camp environment. Send resume to: Box 501, Boyle, AB, T0A 0M0. awna

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CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT. As a CA with 1 - 4 years post qualification experience in public practice you have strong interpersonal, technical and computer skills. We can offer you the opportunity to fulfill personal career objectives within a public practice environment. Our practice serves a diverse client base in a variety of industry sectors. Gitzel Krejci Dand Peterson is located in Stettler, 55 minutes east of Red Deer. We are an independent firm with 24 professional and support staff. Future partnership opportunity for the right candidate. Forward resume in confidence to: Jim Milne, Gitzel Krejci Dand Peterson, Box 460, Stettler, AB, T0C 2L0. Fax 403-742-1266. E-mail: gkdpc@telusplanet.net. awna

MODERN FULLY EQUIPPED dealership requires licensed technician with Ford experience and drivability/diagnostic skills preferred. Excellent remuneration/benefits. Excellent in confidence to: Brian Dunn/Garand Jones, Monahan Ford, High Prairie, fax 403-523-5000. awna

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PROGRESSIVE JOHN DEERE dealership in east central Alberta has an opening for an agricultural machinery sales person. Farm related background with experience in business or sales is a definite asset. Only people with a positive attitude and a strong desire to succeed need apply. If you are interested in a career with Canada's leading agriculture machinery company, contact the General Manager at 403-385-3993 or fax 403-385-2423, or Box 360, Killam, AB, T0B 2L0. Successful applicants will be contacted for an interview. awna

GENERAL MANAGER - Community Futures, S.E. Region of BC, based in Cranbrook. Manager's responsibilities include implementation of board policies, administration of budget, leadership of staff, coordinating community economic development projects, community relations and negotiating with funding agencies. Strong new venture background, 3 - 5 years senior management experience. Good financial and lending skills to administering \$3m lending portfolio. Excellent written/oral communication skills. Salary \$45 - \$55K. Vehicle to travel required. Fax application to 250-489-1886 or phone 250-489-4356 for detailed information package. Deadline June 19/98. awna

17 FEED AND SEED

FOR SALE round alfalfa and grass mix hay also straw. Buying good hay and straw. Delivery available. Phone 403-349-5067. awna

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3 bedroom townhouses. 1 1/2 baths, stove, fridge, laundry hook ups, fenced yards. Rent \$500, damage deposit \$400. Includes sewer & garbage pick up. Utilities not included. No dogs. 335-2347.

18 FOR RENT

FOUR BEDROOM house west of Didsbury for rent. 335-4937. 10-3t

MOBILE HOME for rent. Rent a 14 X 64 ft. mobile home for \$650/month including all utilities. Located two miles north of Airdrie. Opportunity for a retired couple who want to live on a farm setting and subsidize their rent by doing caretaking; yard and building maintenance/repairs; some chores. Call Ken at 403-948-5678. awna

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20" BOX FAN, 3 speed, safety grill design. \$15. Call 335-9669. 8-1t

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24 LIVESTOCK

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MINIATURE DONKEYS and llamas from breeding stock to pet stock. All colours and ages. We have one for all with complete after market support. Call Perfection Llamas and Miniature Donkeys 403-887-2285. awna

27 LOST AND FOUND

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34 PERSONALS

HAPPY 90TH BIRTHDAY Great Grandmother from Jazy and Jady, Grandmother from Roxanne and Dan, Mother from Bev and John. Have a great day, Hazel Dench. 8-11

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40 SERVICES

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43 TRAVEL

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45 WANTED

WANTED TO BUY - Ford Extra cab or crew cab diesel. 250-371-2129. awna

42 TENDERS



INVITATION TO TENDER

Town of Didsbury

Capital Works 1998 - Contract #2, Sidewalk Improvements

Sealed Tenders clearly marked **Town of Didsbury Capital Works 1998 - Contract #2, Sidewalk Improvements** addressed to Wes Yeoman, will be received by the Town of Didsbury up to 2:00 p.m. local time, Thursday, June 25, 1998 at the Didsbury Town Office only.

The work consists of the following:

- *Removal of approx. 1000 sq. m. of concrete sidewalk.
- *Removal and replacement of approx. 80 m. of curb and gutter.
- *Supply and install approx. 70 sq. m. of colored & pressed decorative concrete sidewalk.
- *Supply and install approx. 1000 m2 of separate concrete sidewalk.
- *Supply and install 3 pre-cast concrete tree bases c/w square grates.
- *Install 3 streetlight bases.
- *Supply and install streetlight conduit.

Tender Documents may be obtained by the General Contractors from the Didsbury Town Office upon payment of a non-refundable deposit of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) by cash or certified cheque made payable to the Town of Didsbury.

Tenders must be accompanied by a Bid Bond or Certified Cheque for the amount of ten percent (10%) of the Tendered Amount and an Agreement to Bond (Surety's Consent) as specified in the Tender Documents.

Wes Yeoman, CET,

Director of Engineering and Operational Services
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COMMUNITY SERVICES AND EVENTS



UPCOMING EVENTS

DIDSBURY

TOBACCO REDUCTION

Didsbury Tobacco Reduction meeting, June 18 at 6:30 p.m. at the hospital.

PRAYER BREAKFAST

First annual Mayor's Prayer Breakfast, June 18 at 7:30 a.m. at Elks Hall. Guest speaker: Janette Oke. Tickets \$15/person at Didsbury Drugs, Didsbury Town Office and Contemporary Graphics.

MARITIME NIGHT

Steak and lobster supper and cabaret hosted by Dirty Mother Ladies Slowpitch team, June 19 in the Multi-Purpose Room at 6 p.m. Tickets available at Mountain View Sports or any Dirty Mother.

DIDSBURY

SUPPORT GROUP

Crohn's Support Group, June 18 at 7 p.m. at Aurora Travel. For more information call Myrna at 335-8880 (day) or 335-3745 (evenings).

ROSEBUD

ANNUAL BARBECUE

Rosebud Annual BBQ at Rosebud Hall, June 14 at 5 p.m. Potluck salads and desserts. Bring own meat, plates and utensils. Everyone welcome.

PUBLIC MEETING

Rosebud Community Council meeting, June 18 from 7-9 p.m. at Olds Evergreen Centre to meet the board responsible for development disability services.

SUNDRE

FREE WORKSHOP

Debt Management Strategies free workshop at Sundre West Country Centre, June 10 from 7-10 p.m. To register call 638-3221 or 638-3201, or register at door.

WESTCOTT

BRIDAL SHOWER

Bridal shower for Joey Norman, bride-elect of Allan Shields, June 18 at 7 p.m. at Westcott Community Hall. Potluck lunch. Everyone welcome.

WESTERDALE

COMMUNITY CLEANUP

Westerdale Community and Cemetery clean-up June 17 at 2 p.m.

ONGOING EVENTS

CARSTAIRS

RECYCLING DEPOT

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. - 12:20 p.m.

CARSTAIRS T.O.P.S.

(Take Off Pounds Sensibly) welcomes new members. Meetings 7 p.m. Monday evenings at Carstairs Church of God. For info call Jean 637-3753 or Louise 337-3596.

DIDSBURY

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Overeaters Anonymous, Carstairs Catholic Parish, 302 - 11 Ave., Carstairs, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Further info. 337-3619 (Teri).

DIDSBURY TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Bev at 335-9803 or Kirsten 335-3370.

ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD

Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board meets once every two months at the Town Office at 7 p.m. For info. call Town Office at 335-3391

TOY LIBRARY

Kidding Around Parents Club Toy Library: Tuesdays and Saturdays 10 - 11:30 a.m. and Thurs. evenings too, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Anglican Church Hall basement 2037 - 24 Ave. New members always welcome. More info call Pearl at 335-4787.

CANSURMOUNT

You are not alone. Cansurmout & Reach to Recovery, Olds, Didsbury and surrounding communities have a local group of trained volunteers who offer support to families and patients who have cancer. Please call 335-3341 for more information.

AA

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Kim at 335-9645 or Rick at 335-9525.

TIME OUT

Mom's Time Out and Dads Too. Every Monday (except holidays) 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.. Nominal babysitting fee. Redeemer Lutheran Church. Ph. 335-4123.

DIDSBURY

KING HIRAM LODGE

King Hiram Lodge #21 has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Hans Lucas at 337-2250.

O.E.S. MEETING

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its regular meetings at 8:00 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Marge Stecker at 335-4281.

DIDSBURY MUSEUM

Won't you join us at the Museum on the 1st Thursday of every month from 2 - 4 p.m. for coffee. Everyone is welcome. We have lots to see, take a look back in history. There is no charge but of course donations are always welcome. The museum is also open on Wed., Thurs. and Fri. from 2 - 5 p.m. weekly. We're located at 2118 - 21st Ave. For more info. call 335-9295.

RECYCLING DEPOT

Didsbury Lions Recycle Centre open Saturdays 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Accepting newspaper, office papers, magazines, junk mail, plastic milk jugs (please clean). Phone 335-8193. Use outside bins.

CASH BINGO

Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tuesday. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo at 6:45. Regular bingo at 7:30 p.m. Didsbury Elks Hall.

LIONS

Lions bartending service, call Rudy 335-9191. Lions grill rental, call Jim, 335-8193, 335-9936.

INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Phone 335-8864 or 335-2331 for information and meeting location.

BEAVER'S

Beaver's Monday 7-8 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

AL-ANON

Al-Anon meetings for families of alcoholics held every Friday at 8:30 p.m. in EV Church, next to Post Office, Didsbury. More info. 337-2622

DIDSBURY

BRIDGE CLUB

Mountain View Bridge Club meets every Wednesday from 7-10 p.m. at the Masonic Star Hall, 2037-21 Avenue, Didsbury. All bridge players welcome! For more info: 335-8846 or 335-4736.

SUPPORT GROUP

ADD /ADHD Support Group. For parents and families dealing with attention deficit disorder. For more info call Sheree 335-8612.

LONE PINE

T.O.P.S.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets every Friday at 9 a.m. at Lone Pine Hall. For information call Doreen at 335-4514.

OLDS

MEETING

Adoption Support Group of Olds and area meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month. For more information contact Susan at 335-8540.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

Join the Mountain View Presenters (MVP) Toastmasters Club in Olds. Meetings every Tuesday at Olds College, Room 108, at 7 p.m. starting September 9. For further info, call Judy Dahl at 556-7119 or Malissa at 556-8520.

SUNDRE

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Wednesdays, 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the basement of the Anglican Church. Ron 638-2736.

ALA TEEN

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Basement, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info 638-3277.

AL-ANON

Al-Anon, Sundre United Church basement. Wednesday 8 p.m. More info 638-3277.

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